Business Announcements

WILH. LANGE,
TUNER AND REPAIRER OF PIANOS, AND ALL KINDS OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
Shelley Street, No. 14, next door to the Club Lusitano.
Letters please address care of Messrs. Bielfeld and Zachariae, 68, *Queen's Road.*
tf 3032 Hongkong, 28th December, 1867.

BARNARD, WILSON & Co. SHIP CHANDLERS AND GENERAL STOREKEEPERS, SHIPWRIGHTS, ENGINEERS, AND BLACKSMITHS, MANILA.
Carpenters' and Blacksmiths' work done on more moderate terms than in China.
Every convenience for heaving down and coppering.
tf 1375 Manila, June 4th, 1867. [321

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WING-KEE COAL SHOP.
THE Proprietor of Wing-kee Shop begs to inform the Public that his Shop had been established since 1855, at *Endicott's Lane*, and that he has always a great quantity of Best COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Shipmasters wishing to patronise him, are requested to apply at his Shop.
1y 401 Hongkong, 27th February, 1868.

DENTISTRY.
DR. H. H. WINN, a Graduate of one of the Oldest Dental Colleges in the United States, begs to announce to the Public of Hongkong that he has OPENED an OFFICE here, and will be happy to see all Persons desirous of his Services. Dr. Winn has spent over a year and-a-half in Japan, and is desirous of establishing himself here for the Winter Months, returning to Yokohama during the Summer Months of each year.
Office over Mrs. Bonnett's Store, Up-stairs, entrance on *Wyndham Street.*
H. H. WINN, D.D.S.
tf 2658 Hongkong, 19th November, 1867.

ONE COPY of each of the following WORKS may be had by applying at the *Daily Press* Office:—
Epitome of Allison's History of England...$3.00
Crawford's Descriptive Beauty of India Islands... } 6.00
Index Geographica...7.50
Commercial Products of Vegetable Kingdom 7.50

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS PATERSON & HANDLEY.
House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters.
16, Queen's Road West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West.
tf 2255 Hongkong, 1st October, 1867.

GEORGE GLASSE, (FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY, LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS).
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE-CHESTS SUPPLIED AND REFITTED.
tf 2036 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS,
Entrance—Wellington Street.
DAVID BROWNE, (Late Manager of the Albion Hotel),
BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public that he has opened the above Bar and Bowling Alleys, and trusts by strict attention to Business, and the comfort of visitors, to merit a share of their patronage.
Iced Fancy Drinks of every Description.
N.B.—The above-named will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by the late proprietors.
tf 206 Hongkong, 1st February, 1868.

NOW READY AND TO BE HAD AT THE OFFICE OF THE "DAILY PRESS." PART SECOND OF A NEW ANGLO-CHINESE DICTIONARY, Quarto BY THE REV. W. LOBSCHEID.
THIS WORK was commenced in November, 1864, and will be completed towards the end of 1868, comprising in all 2,000 large quarto pages. The third part will be out in April next, and the fourth about December, 1868. Much care has been bestowed on the work to render it useful, both to the Merchant and to the Student of the Chinese and English languages. Articles of Trade, Objects of Natural History, all the articles to be obtained in the Chinese Market are given with their Chinese equivalents.
The work is offered in boards. The best Bookbinding Establishment in China being connected with this Office, parties desirous of having their copies strongly or elegantly bound will please to intimate the same.
Missionaries supplied at Trade Price.
Daily Press Office, Hongkong.

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[illegible]	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
WHAMPOA.				
Steamers.				
Johnson	Brit. str	800	P. & O. S. N. Co	Repairing
	Amer. str		Thos. Hunt & Co	Laid up
De Bovis	Fren. str		Messageries Imperiales	
Yeaton	Amr. str	313	Aug. Heard & Co	Repairing
	Brit. str	1200	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Aitken	Russ. str	524	Landstein & Co	S'pore & Bombay
Graves	Amr. str		Thos. Hunt & Co	
‡ Running between Macao and Canton				
Sailing Vessels.				
Godt	Prus. bk	234	Siemssen & Co	Chefoo
Shewan	Brit. sh	556	Turner & Co	London
Escaria	Span. sh	700	Order	
Tuteen	Ham. sch	150	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
W. Hicks	Brit. bk	1319	P. & O. Co	Saigon
Jacobson	Prus. bg	200	Wm. Pustau & Co	New York
Hastings	Brit. bk	549	Olyphant & Co	London
Chops lying in Whampoa Reach.				
Dane's Is. Dock Co's Chop				
Hongkong & W'poa Dock Co's Chop				
Lorcha "Spy," belonging to Customs				
Esparell,			Customs	
Situn,			Customs Chop	
MACAO.				
Dobarro	Span. sh	501	Remedios & Co	Havana
Kremer	Ham. bk	315	Wm. Pustau & Co	Saigon
Lapparient	Fren. bk		Order	Uncertain
E. Neves	Fren. sh	850	Landstein & Co	F't or Charter
A. Bello	Ital. sh	471	Order	Callao
Kyssico	Fren. bk	319	Reynvaan, Brothers & Co	
A. Fabie	Span. bg	263	Remedios & Co	Manila
Nordberg	Russ. sh	792	Captain	Havana
Dubois	Fren. bk	371	Landstein & Co	F't or Charter
CANTON.				
Marcy	H.I.C.M.	Str.	Customs Chop	In Hongkong
	Chi. g-b			
Edwards	H.I.C.M.	Str.		
Folsom	H.I.C.M.	Str.	Revenue Cruiser	
SWATOW. *In port on 7th March, 1867.*				
Sclava	Brit. bk		Bradley & Co	Uncertain
Martine	Prus. bk	402	Dircks & Co	Shanghai
Flandra	Brit. bk	349	Lincker & Co	Uncertain
Hide	Brit. bk		Chinese	Shanghai
	Amr. bg		Order	Yokohama
	Ham. bk		Order	
Lanclan	Brit. bk	328	E. Vicent	Uncertain
Focken	Ham. bk	274	Dircks & Co	Taku
Lorenzen	Prus. bk	375	Dircks & Co	Yokohama
AMOY. *In port on 6th March, 1868.*				
Lemmermann	Prus. sch	148	Pasedag & Co	Batavia
Olano	Span. bk	270	Order	Manila
Maare	Ham. bk	251	Pasedag & Co	Taiwanfoo
Schuck	Brit. bk	306	Boyd & Co	Taiwanfoo
Iversen	Prus. sch	251	G. A. Petersen & Co	Singapore
Lemmermann	Prus. sch	432	Pasedag & Co	
Fremoya	Span. bk	548	Chinese	Manila
Davidson	Brit. bk	290	Tait & Co	Samarang
Purulla	Span. bg	236	Tait & Co	Singapore
Hummell	Ham. bg	210	Pasedag & Co	Manila
FOOCHOW. *In port on 1st March, 1868.*				
Crosbie		271	Russell & Co	Uncertain
Broad	H.M.g-b	780	Order	Uncertain
Robertson		113	Order	Uncertain
Laudzen	Ham. bg	371	Order	Uncertain
Clark	Amr. str	780	Russell & Co	Shanghai
Todd	Brit. sh	876	Order	Uncertain
Ebert		420	Order	Uncertain
Knight		120	Order	Uncertain

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Arrivals.

Mch. 18, John Norman, Brit. sh., 513, Gardiner, New York, 30th October, General.—Aug. Heard & Co.
Mch. 19, Dayspring, Brit. bk., 393, Middleton, Sydney, 17th January, 484 tons and 73 tons Sandalwood.—A. Hogg & Co.
Mch. 19, Gipsey, Brit. bk., 250, Fulleston, Saigon, 4th March, Rice and Hides.—Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
Mch. 20, Suwonada, Amer. str., 505, Jayne, Shanghai, 17th March, General.—Aug. Heard & Co.

Departures.

Mch. 19, Morning Star, for Bangkok.
Mch. 19, Chelsea, for San Francisco.
Mch. 19, Marie, for Bangkok.

Clearances.

At the Harbour Master's Office, March 19th.
Chelsea, for San Francisco.
Forest, for San Francisco.
Marie, for Bangkok.
Blairmore, for Bangkok.
Civiale, for Saigon.

Passengers.

Per *Dayspring*, from Sydney,—7 Chinese.
Per *Gipsey*, from Saigon,—3 Chinese.
Per *Suwonada*, str., from Shanghai,—Capt. Roper, 2 Europeans, and 48 Chinese.
Per *Civiale*, for Saigon,—84 Chinese.
Per *Forest*, for San Francisco,—242 Chinese.
Per *Chelsea*, for San Francisco,—391 Chinese.

Reports.

The American steamer *Suwonada* reports having left Shanghai on the 17th March, at daylight. Passed in the river steamer *Szechuen*, bound in, and steamer *Aden* and British ship *John L. Dimmock*, bound out. Experienced gentle North East breezes and fine weather throughout the passage.

The British barque *Dayspring*, from Sydney January 17th, reports having had N.E. gales for four days immediately on leaving Sydney, to the north part of New Caledonia had Easterly winds, and from thence to the line squally and cloudy weather, with much rain. Crossed the Equator on the 19th February at about lon. 167 East. Passed the Ladrone Islands on the 2nd of March, through the Bashee Channel on the 13th March, and moderate monsoon to arrival. The *Dayspring* had good N.E. trades, but no S.E. trade wind at all.

The British ship *John Norman*, from New York on the 30th October, reports having experienced severe gales of winds from the S.E. and S.W. on the 2nd November, which lasted for two days. Passed the line in the Atlantic on the 6th December in 27. W. long., after which had moderate weather to the Cape, excepting one gale, in which a good many sails were lost. Crossed the meridian of the Cape on the 7th January, in 39 S. lat. after which which had strong N.W. gales for several days. Passed Sandalwood Island on the 14th February, came through Ombay Passage on the following day, and from thence through Bouro and Gillolo passages. On the 19th February, when be calmed off the Catherine Islands, the vessel was found to be drifting in shore; the small anchor was then let go with 50 fathoms of cable, Catherine Islands at the time bearing E. by N., one mile distant; at 8 A.M., a light breeze came from the N.E., and the vessel was kept away to go to the westward of the island. About 10 A.M. same day passed over a rock close under the ship's bottom, which gave nine fathoms by the lead when thrown, immediately the rock was seen; after this steered North and found much deeper water. This rock is not laid down in the charts. Catherine Island is S.E. by E. and Shanpee Island N.E. The *John Norman* spoke the following vessels, February 12th, lat. 14 S., lon. 115 E. *Golden Spur*, London to this port, 84 days out. On the 24th February, British ship *Leander*, London to Shanghai, 60 days out; same day saw the Hamburg barque *Catherina*, Hamburg to Hongkong, 117 days out. February 25th, the barque *Charmian*, Sunderland to Hongkong, 108 days out.

Auction Sales To-day.

H. KLÆR. T-Cloth and Grey Shirtings.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Sundry Articles.

NOTICE.
OUR SHIPCHANDLERY BUSINESS has now been REMOVED to *Praya*, Nos. 30 and 31, the premises formerly occupied by Messrs. Petersen Brothers & Co., Successors to Messrs. John Sturje & Co.
FREERKS, RODATZ & Co.
tf 237 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED
STEAM-TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN."
THIS Powerful Tug is available at any time to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from sea.
For particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Peddar's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong, or to the Captain on board.
J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*
2566 Hongkong, 12th October, 1866.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK Co., LIMITED.
STEAM-TUG "FAME."
110 H. P. Nominal.
With disconnecting Engines.
THIS powerful TUG, is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from sea.
For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, *d'Aguilar Street*, Hongkong.
JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*
2296 Hongkong, 12th October, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE STEAM TUG "ISLAND QUEEN," 130 H.P. Nominal,
WILL commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the Spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to and from sea, at usual rates.
For further information apply to Messrs. E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Undersigned.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 230 Hongkong, 11th February, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned, having purchased the Interest of the WANCHI STEAM BAKERY, begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Shipmasters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD, in various forms, to any part of the Colony.
Also, SHIP BREAD, of best quality and at low rates, constantly on hand, or baked in quantities at short notice.
Also, Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS, by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.
Also, Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, Corn STARCH, Bi-Carb SODA, SALERATUS, and Cream of TARTAR.
FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand, supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or Pound.
CAKE of all kinds baked to order.
The above is under the Superintendence of Mr. Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery—or left at Messrs. Thos. Hunt & Co.'s, will receive prompt attention.
L. P. WARD.
6m 333 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

Banks.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
CAPITAL PAID UP £750,000.
With power to increase to £1,500,000.
Reserve Fund, £145,902 14s. 8d.
Head Office—No. 65, *Old Broad Street, London, E.C.*
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London Joint Stock Bank.
Solicitors.
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Auditors.
Messrs. Coleman, Turquand, Youngs & Co., Public Accountants.
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James Joseph Mackenzie, Esq., late of Messrs. Dent & Co., China.
Branches and Agencies.
Bombay.
Calcutta.
Madras.
Ceylon { Colombo. Kandy. Galle.
Singapore.
Penang.
Foochow.
Shanghai.
Yokohama.
Hankow.
Mauritius.
Saigon.
Batavia.
Edinburgh Deposit Agency, 123, George Street.
Charles Pearson, Esq., C.A.—Agent.
HONGKONG BRANCH.
Current deposits.—Accounts are kept on which no interest is allowed and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c.
Fixed deposits.—Are received viz.:—
Repayable at 12 months'......6% per annum.
" at 6 " ......5% per annum.
The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkong having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.
Exchange.
The Bank issues drafts on its London Office, and on the London Joint Stock Bank at four months' sight, also on its Branches above; and Agents in Scotland, Ireland, Melbourne, Sydney, and Towns in Australia, New Zealand, &c., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all Towns of importance throughout the world.
Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection.
Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office, or on application by letter to the Manager.
Office hours—10 to 3, Saturday 10 to 1.
WILLIAM JACKSON, *Manager.*
2, Queen's Road, 24th July, 1867.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
Incorporated by Royal Charter, 30th August, 1851.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.
Reserved Fund, £444,000.
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James Blyth, Esq.
Duncan James Kay, Esq.
J. Binny Key, Esq.
Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.
Lestock Robert Reid, Esq.
James Walker, Esq.
Charles J. F. Stuart, Esq., Chief-Manager.
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The Union Bank of London.
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National Bank of Scotland.
Commercial Bank of Scotland.
Agent in Edinburgh.
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Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.
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HONGKONG BRANCH.
The Corporation receive Money on Deposit repayable on Demand, upon which no Interest is allowed. Current accounts are kept with Firms and Individuals, free of Commission.
Money is also received on Fixed Deposit, repayable at Twelve, Six, and Three Months' notice. Rates of interest may be known on application either at the office of the Corporation or by letter addressed to the Manager.
Notice of withdrawal may be given at the time of deposit.
The Corporation discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they advance upon Bullion and Merchandize, not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.
Exchange.
The Corporation grant Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, on the Union Bank of London at Four or Six Months' sight, and on the Head office at shorter sight.
Circular Notes for the use of Travellers are issued, negotiable in all places of importance throughout the world.
Drafts are granted on the several Branches and Agencies of the Corporation, as above, at the Exchange of the day, and on the proper address being furnished will be forwarded direct to the Payees by the Corporation.
Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.
Approved Bills payable in San Francisco are also purchased by the Corporation, and drafts granted, at rates of exchange equivalent to those ruling on London.—Bills of Exchange on San Francisco, or the Atlantic Ports, will likewise be remitted for collection, at the option of Constituents.
All cheques or orders to be made payable to "The Oriental Bank Corporation."
Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.
Office hours 10 to 3, Saturday 10 to 1.
JAMES BERWICK, *Acting Manager.*
249 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
IT is hereby intimated to underwriters, owners, and masters of sailing vessels bound to or from any of the Ports in China or Japan, that from the 15th of February next the Dutch Paddle Steamer *Kebon Dalem* will be stationed at the South entrance of Banka Straits, close to Lucipara Island, to tow and pilot vessels through the narrows of the Lucipara passage, at a fixed Tariff of—
£25 for ships drawing under 15 feet water.
£40 " " above 15 "
It needs hardly to be mentioned that by the facility thus provided, vessels coming from or going to China, will be enabled to avoid the dangers of Gaspar Straits, where so many casualities have occurred in late years.
Masters of Ships desiring to avail of this steamer, are requested to show their ensign on the maintop.
P. LANDBERG & ZOON, *Agents.*
E. OORT, *Master.*
Batavia, January, 1868. [2m 545

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL—5,000,000 of Dollars.
Court of Directors:—
Chairman—George J. Helland, Esq.
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Sol. D. Sassoon, Esq. | A. Joost, Esq.
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Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq., Chief Manager.
Shanghai—David McLean, Esq.
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HONGKONG.
Interest Allowed.
On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months' 2 per cent. per annum.
6 " 4 " "
12 " 5 " "
[illegible] *Credits*—granted on approved [illegible] and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts—granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
VICTOR KRESSER, *Chief Manager.*
Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road.
tf 1062 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1868.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE DIVIDEND declared for the year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say $7.50 per paid-up Share of $125, and $1.50 per Share on which $25 have been paid, is payable on and after MONDAY, the 17th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, *Queen's Road*, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.
By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER, *Chief Manager.*
tf 313 Hongkong, 14th February, 1868.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Fee on the transfer of Shares in the Corporation will henceforth be *One Dollar* for each Certificate issued, instead of *Twenty-five Cents* upon each individual share as formerly.
VICTOR KRESSER, *Chief Manager.*
tf 497 Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.
SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take Notice that the Fourth Call of Two Hundred Dollars is made in two Instalments of One Hundred Dollars each per share. First of which will fall due on the 15th of March, and the Second on the 30th of April Next, and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, *Queen's Road*, Hongkong, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager.
Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be charged after the above dates.
By order of the Board of Directors,
J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*
tf 178 Hongkong, 27th January, 1868.

SEALED TENDERS (in Duplicate), marked "Tenders for Bills" will be received at this office until Noon THIS DAY, the 20th Instant, for Bills on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or on the Governor General of India in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days' sight, in exchange for current Dollars of Hongkong at 7.1.7., or number one clean Mexican dollars counted.
Bills on London will not be drawn for sums under £1,000, and on Calcutta under Rupees 10,000.
The accepted Tenders will be at once notified to the respective parties by letter, requesting them to lodge the amount to the credit of the Commissariat Account at the Oriental Bank Corporation, where a receipt will be given, on production of which at this office the Bills will be issued.
In order to save time, it is requested that the sets of Bills required may be detailed in the Margin of the Tender, and it is particularly requested that the Tenders may be in duplicate.
REDMOND UNIACKE, *Deputy Commissary General.*
Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hongkong, 17th March, 1868. 4d 535

HONGKONG LIGHTERING AND STORAGE COMPANY.
THE above Company are now prepared to LAND or SHIP CARGO in First-class Boats, and to take the entire discharge of ships, by contract. Also, to store Goods in First-class Granite Godowns, at moderate rates.
J. S. HOOK, SON & Co., *Managers.*
tf 2050 Hongkong, 18th December, 1867.

SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
NOTICE.
HOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company, are requested to send them to the Agents of the Company, to be replaced by Receipts representing the amount of the old shares, and the stock dividend added, pending the issue of New Share Certificates.
ROWLEY MILLER, *Secretary and Auditor.*
tf 420 Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

THE CHINA MAGAZINE
No. 2, MARCH 14th, 1868.
Contents:—
Yuk Noo, a Romance of 1600 years ago—Chapters II and III.
A Trip to Japan.
War.
European Life in Hongkong.
A Friend of her Brother. A Novelette—Chapter I.
Chow Chow.
Illustrations.
Group of Buildings in Victoria, Hongkong.
The Cathedral, Macao.
Government House, Macao.
7d 520 Hongkong, 14th March, 1868.

NOTICE.
RENTS AND ACCOUNTS COLLECTED with despatch, and DISTRAINT WARRANTS FOR RENT issued and executed.
Security if Required.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON, 53 *Wyndham Street.*
tf 338 Hongkong, 13th February, 1868.

NOTICE.
RENTS and Accounts collected with punctuality and dispatch, *And*, Destraint Warrants for Rent issued and executed.
Security, if required,
H. J. RODRIGUES, 33, *Bridges Street.*
1m 515 Hongkong, 14th March, 1868.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
BOWRA & Co.
HAVE received instructions from the Official Administrator, to sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms,
THIS DAY, the 20th March, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M.,—
10 Cases Bryant & May's Safety MATCHES. (Belonging to the Estate of the late Captain Downie).
Terms of Sale.—Cash upon the fall of the hammer, and the lots to be cleared immediately after the sale.
562 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at the Godowns of Messrs. John Burd & Co.,
THIS DAY, the 20th March, 1868, at 11 A.M.,
The following Mildewed GOODS,—
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SE [illegible] 10 Bales, each containing 100 [illegible]
R M " 10 Bales, each containing 100 pieces 7 lbs. T-CLOTH.
" " 12 Bales, each containing 50 pieces 8 lbs. 4 oz. GREY SHIRTINGS.
Terms of Sale.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
H. KLÆR, *Auctioneer.*
552 Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

WEEKLY GENERAL AUCTION.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Rooms, *Queen's Road*,
THIS DAY, the 20th March, 1868, at Noon,
The following GOODS, viz:—
PICKLES, SAUCES, MUSTARD, SALAD OIL, VINEGAR, TART FRUITS, OLIVES, CAPERS, MACCARONI, RAISINS, CURRANTS, JAM and JELLY, OATMEAL, ARROWROOT, TAPIOCA, PEARL BARLEY, CHEESE, BACON, BLOATERS, Preserved MEAT, SOUP, VEGETABLES.
Also,
Fancy TOILET SOAP.
20 Cases Hennessy's BRANDY.
20 " WHITE WINE.
20 " Martell's BRANDY.
Cut Smoking TOBACCO, Cocoa-nut OIL.
STATIONERY.
SHERRY, in Wood and Bottle.
And,
IDS M in diamond, 6014, {50 very stylish Muslin DRESSES.
(Suitable for Summer wear).
Also,
Vegetable DISHES, Dinner SETS, TUMBLERS, DECANTERS, Soup PLATES, Finger GLASSES, TEA POTS, SWORDS, DISHES, BOWLS.
And,
White Cup COVERS, Photograph FRAMES, PAPER and ENVELOPES, Board Letter FILES, QUILLS, SNUFF in Bottles, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS.
Also,
A small Invoice of Assorted WEARING APPAREL.
And,
A quantity of Horse Shoe NAILS.
Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.
551 Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
MESSRS. FAWCETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Room,
TO-MORROW, the 21st March, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M.,—
10 Casks Bottled PORTER.
10 Cases, each 3 Dozen Pale SHERRY.
30 " BRANDY.
8 Dozen Galvanized Iron BUCKETS.
5 " Scrubbing BRUSHES.
15 " Deck SCRAPERS.
250 lbs. English Rigging LEATHER.
40 Dozen Sailors' KNIVES.
100 Gross Brass SCREWS.
35 Dozen Hair Cutting SCISSORS.
25 " Tailors' SCISSORS.
7 " Frying PANS.
5 " Brass TAPS, assorted, with and without Keys.
10 " Paint BRUSHES.
10 " Assorted Wooden TAPS.
8 Dinner SERVICES.
8 Very Handsome Dessert SERVICES.
10 Chamber SERVICES.
10 Cwt. Hubbuck's White ZINC.
10 Dozen Sailors' PALMS.
11 Electro-plated Cruet FRAMES and BOTTLES.
And a quantity of OILMAN'S STORES, and other Goods, with Sundry Articles of FURNITURE.
Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
556 Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

BOWRA & Co.
WILL sell by Public Auction, at their Sale Rooms, on
MONDAY, the 23rd March, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M.,—
A quantity of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, a few very Handsome Dinner, Dessert and Toilet SETS, MIRRORS in GILT FRAMES, CHEVAL GLASSES, GLASSWARE, CUTLERY, in Sets, Electro-Plated Tea and Coffee SETS, TOILET GLASSES, LEFAUCHEUX REVOLVERS, CARBINES, MUSKETOONS.
A select assortment of Hardware, Comprising LOCKS, BOLTS, HINGES, &c., MUSICAL BOXES, ENGRAVINGS, TELESCOPES, OPERA GLASSES.
And,
A few cases CLARET MOSELLE to close a consignment.
Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
537 Hongkong, 17th March, 1868.

SUPERIOR WINE AUCTION.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Rooms, *Queen's Road*, on
MONDAY, the 23rd March, 1868, at Noon,
The following WINES and SPIRITS.—
HA, 40 Cases CHAMPAGNE.
5 " Cutler's do.
6 " Cliquot's do.
9 " Perer's do.
22 " NIERSTEINER.
63 " Sparkling MOSELLE.
9 " HOCK, Steinberger.
6 " do. Liebfravenmilch.
15 " very fine BARSAC (Fincke & Co.)
100 " Good CLARET.
50 " CONSTANTIA.
50 " SHERRY.
50 " PORT.
And,
A few Cases Martell's BRANDY.
Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.
558 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, by order of the Mortgagee under his Power of Sale, on
MONDAY, the 30th March, 1868, at 4 o'clock P.M.,
On the Spot,—
Near Thai-Loy Chinese Theatre, *Second Street, Syingpoon.*
All that piece or parcel of GROUND, Registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 639, Measuring in all 15,750 Square feet, more or less.
Terms and Conditions will be made known on the Spot at the time of the Sale.
For further particulars apply to
H. N. MODY, *Auctioneer.*
530 Hongkong, 16th March, 1868.

Auction.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE PREMISES, at the corner of *Queen's Road* and *Bonham Strand*, lately occupied as a Water Police Station, will be sold by Public Auction, on
THURSDAY, the 26th instant, at Noon.
The sale will take place on the Ground.
W. WILSON, *Surveyor General.*
Surveyor General's Office, Hongkong, 17th March, 1868. [547

PUBLIC AUCTION.
RAY & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on
WEDNESDAY, the 8th April, 1868, at Noon,
At No. 4, *West Terrace, Caine Road*,—
Very Handsome HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising: Drawing Room SUITE in Crimson Rep, Damask CURTAINS, Square PIANO, by Steinway, CARPETS, RUGS, [illegible] Dinner SERVICE; Bed Room FURNITURE, including a Mahogany English-made WARDROBE, 7 feet high by 8 feet wide, with Plate Glass Doors, Brass BEDSTEAD, 6 feet by 7 feet, with Spring and Hair MATTRESSES, Marble-Top TABLES, MIRRORS, &c., &c., &c., &c.
And,
An American 4-wheel WAGGONETTE, and Trotting Horse.
Catalogues will be issued.
493 Hongkong, 16th March, 1868.

PROPERTY FOR SALE AT NEWCHWANG, CHINA.
LOTS No. 2 and No. 3, on the British Concession, lately occupied by Messrs. Maitland, Bush & Co., consisting of a large solid brick built tile roofed Dwelling House, Outhouses, and Compradore Rooms, and three large Godowns, one of which is tile-roofed. The two lots of GROUND, measuring about 300 feet in depth, and about 550 feet in length, are in one compound, with a river frontage.
Also, 2/3 interest in the remaining unsold lots of the British concession.
The lot of Ground lately occupied by Messrs. Schöttler & Co., at present rented by the Harbour Master, consisting of Dwelling House, Outhouses, Compradore Rooms, Billiard Room, Stabling, and a small brick built Godown, the compound measuring about 8 mow. Present rental, Taels 320 per year.
Also, adjoining the above, a lot of Ground measuring about 4 mow, with a small Dwelling House, now in the occupation of Mr. Harvey. Present rental, Taels 60—on a 10 years lease, of which 8 years are unexpired.
Also, some 25 mow of unoccupied land, adjoining the two last named properties.
The whole of these properties will be sold at public auction (unless previously disposed of), at Newchwang, on the 15th July next, at 2 o'clock P.M.
For further particulars apply to James E. Bush, Esq., at Newchwang, or to the undersigned.
OSCAR BOOTH, *Creditors' Assignee,*
Estate Maitland, Bush & Co., Newchwang.
4m 377 Shanghai, 15th February, 1868.

FOR SALE.
THE STOCK IN TRADE, BAR, FIXTURES, and FURNITURE, of the well-known Tavern, Army and Navy, situate in *Queen's Road West*, No. 248; doing a first rate business.
For further particulars apply to
JEREMIAH FOLEY, *Proprietor.*
1m 364 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1868.

VERY HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, OF A FOUR-ROOMED HOUSE, *In West Terrace, Caine Road*, FOR SALE, IN ONE LOT.
RAY & Co.
tf 461 Hongkong, 4th March, 1867.

NOTICE.
HIS Excellency the Governor having appointed the Undersigned a Commission to enquire into and report upon any defects which may have arisen in the working of the Stamp Ordinance No. 13 of 1866, It is hereby notified that they will hold their meetings at the Council Chamber every day up to Saturday, the 21st instant inclusive (Sunday excepted), and they will be prepared to receive from the Public any communications, either oral or written on the subject, between the hours of Noon and 2 P.M. on any of the above mentioned days.
W. H. ALEXANDER,
P. RYRIE,
F. W. MITCHELL.
Council Chamber, Hongkong, 12th March, 1868. [505

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.
SEAT-HOLDERS intending to resign their Sittings on the 1st April next, and Persons requiring sittings for the Ensuing Year, are requested to Communicate as soon as possible with the undersigned.
CECIL C. SMITH, *Treasurer and Trustee.*
20d 492 Hongkong, 11th March, 1868.

NAVY CONTRACTS, 1868-69.
SEALED TENDERS, marked on the outside TENDER FOR BISCUIT, &c., will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon TO-MORROW, the 21st inst., for the supply of the following articles for the Navy Service, from the 1st April, 1868, to 31st March, 1869, viz.:—
Biscuit, per lb.............English weight.
Soft Bread, per lb..........do.
Conditions of Contract can be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office.
A. H. PRICE, *Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.*
Hongkong Victualling Yard, 5th March, 1868. [16d 464

NAVY CONTRACTS, 1868-69.
SEALED TENDERS, marked on the outside TENDER FOR FRESH BEEF, &c., will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon TO-MORROW, the 21st instant, for the supply of the following articles for the use of the Victualling Department, from the 1st April, 1868, to 31st March, 1869, viz.:—
Fresh Beef..........per lb. English weight.
do. Vegetables..........do.
Sugar..........do.
Tea..........do.
Raisins..........do.
Rice..........do.
Salt..........do.
Oil..........do.
Firewood..........do.
Conditions of Contract can be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office.
A. H. PRICE, *Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.*
Hongkong Victualling Yard, 5th March, 1868. [16d 465

NAVY CONTRACTS, 1868-69.
SEALED TENDERS, marked on the outside TENDER FOR WATER, will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon TO-MORROW, the 21st instant, for the supply of Water to H. M. Ships at this place, from the 1st April, 1868, to 31st March, 1869.
Conditions of Contract can be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office.
A. H. PRICE, *Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.*
Hongkong Victualling Yard, 5th March, 1868. [16d 466

MISS GARRETT has for Sale, "Knight Templar," "Royal Arch," "Master Masons" APRONS and SASHES.
Millinery and Drapery Establishment, *Queen's Road.*
1m 460 Hongkong, 5th March, 1868.

Intimations.

GRAND BAL MASQUE, AT THE THEATRE LUSITANO.
BY particular request a SECOND BAL will take place TO-MORROW EVENING, the 21st instant, at 9 o'clock, when it is expected that a good many will appear in costume.
Prices of Admission.
A Box to hold Six........$3
Single Ticket........1
To be had of Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co., Messrs. Bowra & Co., and at the door of the Theatre.
Doors will be opened at Half-past Eight o'clock.
508 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

LUSITANO THEATRE.
GRAND OPERA, to take place ON MONDAY EVENING, *the 23rd March, 1868, at 9 o'clock precisely.*
In consequence of numerous gentleman being unable to attend the previous performance, and at their special request, Signora de Ponti and the other members of the Opera Company will repeat
LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR, BY DONNIZETTI.
PROGRAMME.
Lucia........Signora de Ponti.
Aston........Signor Reina.
Edgardo........Signor Pizzioli.
Raimundo........Signor Sforzani.
Normuno........Signor Sforzani.
The Pianoforte accompaniment by an Amateur.
Prices of Admission.
Box to hold Six Persons........$12
Stalls........2
Tickets to be had at Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co.'s, Club Lusitano, Hotel d'Europe and at the door of the Theatre on the night of the Opera.
Doors open at 8 o'clock. Performance to commence at 9 o'clock precisely.
553 Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

GRAND FAREWELL CONCERT BY SIGNORA MARIETTA VERALLI, KINDLY ASSISTED BY THREE AMATEURS,
To take place at the Concert Room of the CLUB LUSITANO, ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, *the 25th March, 1868, at 9 o'clock precisely.*
PROGRAMME.
1. ARIA from "Conte di S. Bonifacio,"—Signora Veralli.
2. ROMANZA, by Schubert,—Amateur.
3. DUO from "La Favorita,"—Signora Veralli and Amateur.
4. RONDO for Piano, by Schubert,—Amateur.
5. "IL GIURAMENTO,"—Signora Veralli.
6. "LES NOCES DE JEANNETTE."—Amateur.
7. DUO from "Il Trovatore,"—Signora Veralli and Amateur.
Interval of Ten Minutes.
8. DUO from "Belisario,"—Amateur.
9. RONDO from "Semiramide,"—Signora Veralli.
10. FANTASIA on the "Last Rose of Summer," for Piano.—Amateur.
11. ARIA from "Galathée."—Amateur.
12. ARIA from "La Favorita."—Signora Veralli.
13. ROMANZA, by Ch. Voss,—Amateur.
14. "LA GAZZA LADRA,"—Signora Veralli.
15. DUO from "Semiramide,"—Signora Veralli and Amateur.
Prices of Admission........$2
Tickets to be had at Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co.'s, Club Lusitano, and at the door of the Theatre on the night of the Concert.
Doors open at 8 o'clock. Performance to commence at 9 o'clock precisely.
549 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

BAL MASQUE.
MASKS FOR SALE.—Fancy DRESSES and DOMINOS made to order.
A Large assortment of Fancy Dress Pictures to choose from.
BONNETT & Co., 1, *Wyndham Street.*
531 Hongkong, 16th March, 1868.

THE Undersigned have bought over the Business and Stock-in-trade of Cheong-shing-man-kee, Chandlers, No. 22 in *Aberdeen.* All previous debts, accounts, security notes, &c. will be payable only by Man-kee, the undersigned will not be responsible.
SHOO-CHIK-TONG. WING SHING, and others.
1w 555 Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
NOTICE.—Robert Henry Sueil, formerly of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Tavern keeper, residing at the "Hongkong Inn," *Queen's Road West*, and then of Macao, in the Empire of China, Tavern keeper, but now of Number 284, *Queen's Road West*, Victoria aforesaid, Assistant Godown keeper, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the *Thirteenth day of March*, 1868, is hereby required to surrender himself to William Hastings Alexander, Esquire, the Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at the first Meeting of Creditors, to be held before the said Registrar on the *Twenty-seventh day of March*, 1868, at eleven of the Clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court.
Frederick Sowley Huffam, Esquire, is the *Official Assignee*, and Mr. William Gaskell is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.
At this Meeting the said Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an assignee or assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.
All persons having in possession any of the Effects of the said Bankrupt, must deliver them to the said Official Assignee, and all Debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid to the said Official Assignee.
Supreme Court House, Hongkong,
The 14th day of March, A.D., 1868. [1w 524

HONGKONG CLUB.
IN Consequence of the resignation of office by nine members of the General Committee of the Club, a General Meeting of the Members of the Club is hereby called, in accordance with Rule 22, for WEDNESDAY, the 25th March, at Half-past 5 o'clock P.M., for the election of nine Members to complete the General Committee.
By order of the General Committee,
GEORGE B. AYLMORE, *Secretary.*
Hongkong Club, 18th March, 1868. [8d 539

KELUNG COAL COMPANY.
THE Undersigned are prepared to supply Steamers and Vessels with the best FORMOSA COAL at current rates, or to deliver the same under contract at any port in China.
The company having always a large quantity in store, vessels will not be subjected to any unnecessary delay.
DODD & Co., *Agents.*
tf 231 Kelung, 6th January, 1868.

Intimations.

TUNG-HING THEATRE.
THIS DAY, at 6 o'clock P.M.
INIMITABLE AND UNIQUE MAGICAL REPRESENTATION, BY PROFESSOR VANEK,
Grand Wizard of the North, Artist to His Majesty the Sultan of Turkey.
THE MIRACULOUS ORACLE OF DELHI,
A most astonishing Exhibition.
Together with other marvellous Magical Experiments, the admired Optical Cyclorama, Comic and Laughable Museum, to conclude with the very much amusing
BRILLIANT CHANGES OF COLOURS.
Prices of Admission.
One Rattan Chair in the Boxes, One Dollar.
Stalls........Half Dollar.
JOHN WESSELY, *Manager.*
521 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

A CARD.
THE Undersigned begs to say to his Patients, that he will be required in a week or more to visit Shanghai on business, to be absent 3 or 4 weeks.
H. H. WINN.
14d 561 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

LOST.
ON SUNDAY, the 15th, between Pokfoolum and Hongkong, a Newfoundland DOG. Black, with white breast; answers to the name of "Pills." The finder (who will be rewarded if necessary) will please address G., *Daily Press* Office.
tf 557 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE American ship "ABBOTT LAWRENCE," 1496 Tons Register, Bramhall, Master,
Apply to OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 559 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 Russian barque "MARIA,"
J. Machado, Master, of 637 Tons Register, or 15,000 piculs carrying capacity.
For particulars apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.
8d 560 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned till Noon on the 23rd Instant, for Rebuilding a Retaining Wall, &c., between Nos. 2 and 5 Jetties, at the Naval Coal Stores at Kowloon, Plan and Specifications for which can be seen at this Office.
A. H. PRICE, *Naval Storekeeper.*
Naval Yard, Hongkong, 14th March, 1868. [8d 525

FRENCH AND SPANISH.
A FRENCH Gentleman, lately arrived in this Colony, is ready to give lessons in the above languages.
For particulars, apply to E. M. G., *Club Lusitano.*
tf 511 Hongkong, 13th March, 1868.

THE Undersigned begs to notify to the Public, that the Business of Tee-lee, Plumbers, in *Queen's Road East*, was hitherto jointly carried on by him and Low-mui, but a difference having arisen, the undersigned has, on the 15th March inst., transferred his share, being one-half, of the Business to Low-mui. A final settlement has been made between them. All Debts will be payable by Low-mui, and the undersigned will not be in any way Responsible.
PANG HEONG.
2w 554 Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

S. S. *ARRATOON APCAR*, FROM CALCUTTA.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above steamer are hereby informed that, in accordance with a clause in the Bills of Lading, the same is being landed and stored as under:—
OPIUM, in Messrs. Morgan, Lambert & Co.'s Godown.
SALTPETRE and COTTON, in the Godowns of the undersigned.
All at the vessel's expense, but at Shipper's Risk, and will be ready for delivery on and after the 17th inst. All cargo not taken delivery of by the 21st inst. will be charged for at the rate of $1 per chest per month for Opium, and 10 cents per Bale or Bag for Cotton and Saltpetre.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., *Agents.*
1w 534 Hongkong, 16th March, 1868.

MERCHANTMAN, FROM CALCUTTA.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for *Countersignature*, and to take *immediate* delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored by the Undersigned at *Consignees' risk and expense.*
The *Average Bond* is now lying for signature at the Office of the Undersigned, *Queen's Road*, and Consignees are requested to sign the same as early as possible.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
8d 498 Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

ENDEAVOUR, FROM SAN FRANCISCO.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the *Undersigned* for *Countersignature*, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at the Consignees' risk and expense.
BULL, PURDON & Co.
tf 506 Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

BRITISH SHIP *ELIZA*, FROM CALCUTTA.
THE above vessel having arrived in this harbour, and being now ready to discharge, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Cargo.
Any Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will, in terms of Charter Party, be landed and stored, as it comes to hand, at the consignees' risk and expense.
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 435 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Undermentioned packages are lying unclaimed in the P. & O. Godown, and will be delivered on presentation of the Bills of Lading duly endorsed.
J. H. Smith, 1 Case Books, from England.
Mr. Palmer, 1 Case Musical Instruments, from England.
M 1 in diamond, 1 Case Uniforms, from England.
AS in square, 1 Case Cheese, from England.
FC J in triangle, 1 Case Hosiery, from England.
Messrs. Loney & Co., 1 Case Books, from England.
W. MacMahon, Esq., 1 Parcel Stuffed Birds, from Singapore.
TOC in square, 1 Parcel Samples, from Singapore.
W. MACAULAY, *Superintendent.*
P. & O. S. N. Co.
Hongkong, 3rd March, 1868. [tf 436

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.
Ex "Tigre," 5th December, 1867.
........1 Basket Feathers.
Ex "Donnai" 7th January, 1868.
RT B 531........1 Case Paper.
Ex "Hoogly" 7th March.
MB........10 Packages Sundries.
Tha. de Carama........1 Trunk.
C. BERTRAND, *Principal Agent.*
tf 481 Hongkong, 20th March, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL,—$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES, OF $500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners, and Agents is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repairing of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public:—

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	330 feet.
Breadth	80 „
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18½ „
Do. Neap Tides	16 „

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	400 feet.
Breadth	90 „
Depth of water at Spring Tides	24½ „
Do. Neap Tides	21½ „

This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	550 feet.
Breadth	80 „
Depth of water at Spring Tides	16½ a 17 „
Do. Neap Tides	13½ a 15 „

This can be used either as one or two Docks

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	340 feet.
Breadth	60 „
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18 „
Do. Neap Tides	15 „

The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	200 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	14 „
Do. Neap Tides	11 „
Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.	

DOCK D.

Length	164 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	20.0 „
Do. Neap Tides	9.6 „

DOCK E.

Length	120 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	11 „
Do. Neap Tides	8 „

D. and *E.* are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineers' Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale and driven by Steam. The Shipwright's and Blacksmith's shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried under the supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water, and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENT.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steamships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG *Fame*, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge*, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars apply at the Offices of the Company, *D'Aguilar Street*, Hongkong.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary*.

N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements should address the Secretary on the subject,—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

tf 2295 Hongkong, 15th October, 1866.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters, to their Establishments at HONGKONG and WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of vessels of all classes.

Their Docks in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours and are capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The WORKSHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Works carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong.

J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary*.

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

180 Hongkong, 21st March 1865.

DANE'S ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY
GOW & Co.

ONE DOCK, 210 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.

All kinds of Ship and Blacksmith's Workdone.

The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, MARCH 20TH, 1868.

THERE are still some interesting returns in the Census tables which we have not yet noticed. One table shows the various trades followed by the Chinese in Hongkong, and the number of persons or establishments engaged in each. The large mercantile establishments of the wealthy Chinese are referred to, we presume, under the item "Hongs," of which there are 79. There are 241 chandlers in Victoria, and 105 more in the villages, that trade being followed by a greater number of persons than any other. The coolie-house keepers come next in order, but can hardly be considered in the light of persons who follow a trade, any more than those who occupy "family houses," of which there are 1,244 in Victoria, and 531 in the villages. After the chandlers, the most popular business is that of the money changer, a circumstance which illustrates that inborn instinct for commercial pursuits so characteristic of the Chinese. There are 140 money-changers in Victoria, a number which must, one would say, be far in excess of the number actually required to transact the business doing. The inference is that the trade yields large profits per cent. of the capital involved, so that each person engaged in it can afford to live on the profits of a smaller share of the work to be done than he could transact if there were less competition. Tailors are a numerous class. There are 128 of them; and next come the carpenters, of whom there are 128. Foreign goods dealers number 108, and the other trades are less extensively followed. One rather curious fact visible in this table is, that there are 61 post-offices in the town. Certainly a man who had time and inclination to make himself master of the native life, even of Hongkong alone, might introduce most of us to a great many facts with which we are unacquainted. What, for instance, is the organisation of these post-offices? Whence do they receive and whither do they dispatch their mails. Do they dispatch them regularly by foreign conveyance, or by native junks alone? Do they receive payment in money or stamps, and how much? The Chinese post-offices of Hongkong form a promising field for the investigations of an explorer.

The popularity of the razor is shown by the fact that there are 90 barbers in the town and 36 in the villages, but other operations of the toilet do not seem so much in favour, as two bathing-house keepers supply the 100,000 and odd Chinese of the colony with all the public facilities for washing which they require. Doctors and druggists are plentiful; 96 in Victoria alone; 18 more practising in the villages. Europeans ought to be able to have their linen properly "got up" by some, at all events, of the 51 washermen belonging to Victoria. The extent to which their *clientèle* is composed of the foreign element, is shown by the fact that outside the limits of the city there is only one man following the trade. There are 31 pawnbrokers, rendering valuable assistance, no doubt, in promoting the business of the 41 prepared opium sellers. The arts, on the whole, are pretty well supported. There are 15 portrait and landscape painters. Certainly uninitiated persons sharing the usually strong impression to the effect that the Chinese are a highly utilitarian race, would not have expected so many artistic establishments. They are almost as numerous as the tea-dealers, of whom there are 17 only. It is to be presumed however, that the chandlers are successful in inducing most of the humbler Chinese to "try our mixture," as the advertising grocers at home say. European impressions of China and its cookery would not be borne out by the discovery that there is only one birds-nest seller, and 16 sheep dealers. The shoemaking business has apparently been divided into two branches, and the "shoemakers for Europeans" evidently drive a better trade than their more patriotic brethren, who devote themselves to shoeing their countrymen. There are 85 of the first kind to 19 of the second.

From another table it may be perceived that there are 2,465 boat women engaged in Victoria, and 7,082 boatmen, assisted by 2,084 boys and 1,379 girls. There are 379 cargo boats, 336 "Hakow and pullaway" boats, and 701 sampans, besides other native craft in smaller quantities. The sampans employ the largest proportion of women, and there are nearly as many women as men engaged with them, 1,278 men and 1,129 women. Stanley is apparently the greatest fishing station on the island. At Victoria there are 35 fishing boats, at Aberdeen 88, at Sowkewan 63, and at Stanley 212, employing 916 men, 511 women, and about 800 children. Sowkewan, on the other hand is the only one of the out-stations reported as possessing trading boats. There are 11 of these at the place, employing 54 men, 5 women, and 9 boys, besides whom the commercial navy of Sowkewan rejoices in the possession of 1 girl. In spite of its inferiority to Stanley as a fishing station, Sowkewan employs so many more sampans, that it boasts of the largest boat population of any town in the island, next to Victoria. There are 3,439 persons of both sexes and ages on board the boats at that place, 2,678 at Stanley, and 2,176 at Aberdeen. These facts are rather curious, as certainly we should have supposed from the appearance of the three places that Aberdeen was by far the most populous of any.

An educational table shows that Hongkong possesses 61 schools, 29 being "general Chinese," and 7 "private Chinese" schools—whatever the difference may be—11 are Government schools, 5 Roman Catholic; 2 belong to the London Mission, and the rest are isolated establishments which cannot be classified. The Government schools receive by far the largest number of native pupils, 646 boys and 48 girls, with only 6 boys belonging to the class of foreign scholars. The Roman Catholic schools, on the other hand, have a much larger proportion of foreign pupils, 96 boys and 80 girls, to 98 Chinese boys and 202 Chinese girls. St. Paul's College has apparently plucked up a little. It devotes itself exclusively to the male sex, and boasts of 9 foreign and 17 Chinese boys. The Mosque-garden school continues to exist on the smallest number of scholars mentioned in the list, 20 in all, including native and foreign pupils. The Chinese schools are of course exclusively for boys, and receive 521.

A few tables at the conclusion of the series show the working of the Registration Ordinance; 7,005 certificates of male servants, and 494 for female servants were issued during the year 1867, together with 9 duplicates, the total amount of the fees received being $1,891. There were 4,045 householders certificate (originals), and 175 removals, yielding $12,178. The prosecutions under the ordinance were 120 in number, 96 being against householders, and 33 against servants, a larger number than we should have anticipated by a great many, and certainly a larger number than was necessary, as 27 summons were dismissed.

In the resolution referring to the duty on bank notes, brought forward at the Chamber of Commerce meeting by Mr. Kresser, the maximum rate be proposed was a half per mil, and not half per cent. as reported.

The Amateur Theatricals.

Enlivened by an entertainment which would not naturally have been expected from the Amateur Theatrical Society of Hongkong,—a ballet,—the performance of last evening passed off in a brilliantly successful manner, more so than any other which has been given this year. Except for a few failures of memory, there was nothing to mar the effect of the two pieces given, and even these do not have a very serious effect in anything so *outré* as the burlesque of "Bluebeard," which was the chief attraction of the night. The introductory farce having been well carried off by the acting of Captain Staples and Mr. Nelson, the burlesque was introduced in a highly-promising manner by the appearance of the favorite "Miss Lucy Vernon," in a costume as *Fatima*, which was one of the most successful in which we have yet seen that talented young artist, although surpassed by the second in which he appeared, distinctly the best thing of the kind which has been put upon the stage by the amateurs. Captain Staples, as *Bluebeard*, had scarcely scope for his peculiar vein of humour, but it is needless to say that he performed the part in a thoroughly competent manner. The great *coup* of the evening, however, was the ballet. We are ready to confess that, though the notion of that exhibition did not appear promising at first, the effect was irresistibly comical. The house, crowded, of course, as usual on these occasions, was taken by storm. As the dancing progressed, the roars of laughter and the applause were overwhelming. At the conclusion of the scene there were shouts for an *encore*, that could not be disregarded. The curtain had to go up again, and a part of the performance to be repeated.

A notice of last nights proceedings would be very incomplete without a few words in acknowledgement of the services rendered by the gentlemen who contributed the musical part of the entertainment. The new Artillery band conducted by Dr. Smith, played in the beginning of the evening, (doing some *Traviata* selections after the farce extremely well), and the burlesque was accompanied by a small string orchestra, led most ably by Mr. Sangster at the piano.

Suicide of a Prisoner in Victoria Gaol.

Yesterday morning about seven o'clock, the executioner happening to open the cell of a man named Chang-hoy-choe, who was committed for trial on a charge of piracy and murder in April 1866, he was discovered hanging by the neck, quite dead. The suicide had torn his blanket into strips, and having made one end fast to the bars of his cell, he stood on a pan he had in the room, and fastening the other end of the rope round his neck, he kicked away the pan, and was in that position when discovered. The evidence against him was very strong, and there is but little doubt but that he would have suffered the extreme penalty of the law had he been placed at the bar of the Supreme Court.

An inquest was held on the body during the afternoon, before F. Stewart, Esq., the coroner, and the following jury:—Messrs. H. Erdmann, G. Denis, H. Drucker, and R. Dana. This last gentleman did not attend in time, and was fined $50, but fortunately coming into court about ten minutes after his name was called, the coroner remitted the fine. Dr. Murray said he had been called to see a man who had hanged himself in Victoria gaol, he saw the man, who died by hanging, in his opinion; the man effected his design by tearing his blanket into strips.

Mr. Douglas, superintendent of the gaol, said the deceased was locked up after supper on Wednesday evening, and was not seen until found hanging by a European prisoner, whose duty it was to go round and let the prisoners out of their cells, this man went and reported the suicide to Johnson, one of the turnkeys, who went in and cut the man down and took him to the Hospital, but the deceased was quite dead when brought into Hospital. Johnson, the turnkey, gave evidence to show how he found the man hanging, and took him to the Hospital.

The Jury returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased was found hanging, at the same time suggesting that some plan should be adopted for leaving no pans or buckets in the prisoners cells at night, they thought it might be possible to make a hole in the floor of the cell for the prisoners' accommodation, and thus do away with all articles by which a prisoner might be enabled to take his own life.

Police Intelligence, 19th March.

BEFORE E. W. GOODLAKE Esq.

EXTENSIVE DISCOVERY OF STOLEN PROPERTY.

Lee-a-fook, 22, firewood dealer, Sai-yo-lane, was charged with being in possession of a quantity of saltpetre, brimstone, &c., alleged to have been stolen.

Sergeant Tanfer arrested the prisoner, on a warrant, in which he alleged that the property, which he knew to be in the man's house, was undoubtedly part of the proceeds of a robbery which took place a short time since at Messrs. Lammert, Atkinson and Co.'s store, when articles of a similar nature were taken. The Sergeant, in his evidence, stated the information he got was from an informer, who pointed out the premises to him where the stolen goods were concealed. He went there, and discovered as much saltpetre as would take eighteen coolies to carry away. He accordingly left a lukong in charge of the goods until he could get out a warrant. While he was absent, the people of the house managed to entice the lukong away from the premises, and, during his absence, to remove a quantity of the goods. When he arrested the prisoner a bribe of, first $10, and afterwards $60, was offered to him, but he refused. The prisoner had been charge-room interpreter at one of the stations before.

Cooper, P.C. 35, stated that he knew the prisoner as an interpreter. He recollected his coming one evening to the No. 7 Station, and saying to him (witness), "I know where there is a lot of stolen saltpetre; let us go and *squeeze* them." He refused to do so, saying that squeezing was not his business.

The prisoner said he did not belong to the house at all, nor did the saltpetre and brimstone belong to him.

He was remanded until next Monday, to see if Sergeant Tanfer can have the bags of saltpetre which he managed to capture identified.

PUTTING A STEWARD IN IRONS.

John Shelley the steward of the French barque *Marie Therese*, summoned the Captain for putting him in irons in the harbour. Shelley stated that he was not on the ship's articles, as he was engaged in Hongkong last January at a salary of forty francs a month. On Saturday last, when the captain came off from the shore in the evening, he was in the cabin, the captain took a loaf of bread off the table, struck him on the head with it, and abused him, and afterwards called the mate and had him put in irons under the forecastle. he was in irons from Saturday evening to Sunday morning at eleven when the Inspector of police came and released him, and took him ashore.

Inspector Daly said there was a European constable always on board the *Marie Therese*, and that the constable was relieved every twenty-four hours. When the relief came off on Sunday morning, he was informed that there was a man in irons on board; he immediately despatched a constable to take the man out, but the mate of the vessel refused to let the man go, or let the constable have any communication with the man. Afterwards an inspector went and got the man away.

Captain Bonnefon said he gave orders that the man should be let out at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning.

Mr. Goodlake said as the plaintiff was not on the articles, the best thing he could do was to apply to a solicitor, and bring an action for false imprisonment, if it were thought advisable; the summons was dismissed.

KIDNAPPING AT THE RACES.

Chung-a-num, a boatman of Sunway, was charged with kidnapping a boy named A-sing, at the last Hongkong Race Meeting.

Lai-a-wan, brother of the stolen boy, stated he lived at the Yea-wai eating house, he lost his brother on the Race Course at the last meeting, and had never seen him until he met the boy accidently at the Theatre in Little Hongkong.

The boy A-sing said the prisoner met him in the Happy Valley, and gave him some cunjee which made him insensible, he had been kept confined by the prisoner, who only gave him one meal a day. He met his brother in the Theatre at Little Hongkong.

The prisoner, who had nothing to say, was committed for trial at the Supreme Court.

SHOCKING CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

This was a case in which a few facts as to how the Chinese treat children came out, and certainly the evidence given in the case tended to show that the two children had been dealt with in a most inhuman manner. The person to whom the cruelty of beating and otherwise ill-treating two little girls, her daughters, is [illegible] Chinese woman, named Wong-a-kow. During the progress of the case Mr. Gaskell appeared for the defendant.

Lum-a-kai, who is rent collector to Yeung tanko, Messrs. Dent and Co.'s compradore, was the man who was instrumental in drawing the attention of the police authorities to the matter, for he went so far as to lodge a complaint against the woman, praying that the cruelty might be put a stop to. He stated in his evidence that he had occasion many times to pass the woman's house in D'Aguilar-street, and on the 14th or 15th of this month, which date he could not exactly recollect, he was passing the house and he saw the defendant beating her children, one of them was tied up with her hands behind her back to a post, hardly touching the ground with her feet, and the defendant was beating her with a stick about an inch in diameter; there was a great crowd round the door at the time.

Loo-poo-wan, a money changer, and Foong-a-ye, a barber, both were present, when this particular assault committed by defendant took place, they both said they had seen the woman beat her children often.

Dr. Murray, who had examined the children in the gaol, stated that he had seen two little girls named A-kow and Tong-yow, whom he took to be about seven or eight years of age, they both presented marks of recent bruises on the back part of the neck and legs, the skin also on the chest showed white, as from recent scars, there were marks of recent wounds in the head, and one on the girl Akow seemed to have bled very recently, the children were both stunted in growth for their age, but not particularly so.

The two unfortunate little creatures were brought into court, and being enveloped in new grey jackets from the goal look extremely forlorn. They were examined one after another by His Worship, who endeavoured to elicit as much as possible from them, but unfortunately in bringing the mother and children from the goal, they managed to exchange a few words, in consequence of which they both appeared to be intimidated.

A-kow said she was not beaten, she had plenty to eat, &c. Although the child exhibited bruises and sores, yet she seemed to be reluctant to give evidence against her mother. Tong-yow, however, was more communicative, she told how her mother had beaten her and the position in which she was tied, she said her mother often beat her, but yet gave her plenty of food.

Mr. Gaskell said he considered that the beating the children had received, was no more than was necessary to prevent them from thieving, and he produced a witness, who stated she had seen the children steal cash belonging to the defendant.

His Worship said he must commit the defendant for trial at the Supreme Court, but he would except bail, two securities of $500 each

Mr. Gaskell said he thought the bail was most excessive; how could his Worship expect the woman to find bail? A woman in her condition could hardly find two securities for $100 each, his Worship might just as well have said a $1,000.

Mr. May said he thought the woman could find bail for that amount if she intended to appear at the Supreme Court.

Supreme Court.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

BEFORE CHIEF JUSTICE SMALE.

The March sessions were continued yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. The following jury were called and sworn:—H. W. Leslie, H. Gueteriz, J. E. King, Wm. Buncombe, F. Degeneur, C. P. Chater, and E. Powys.

BURGLARY.

Ten coolies, nearly all of whom had the same clan name, Tai, were placed at the bar, charged with robbing one Yip-a-sing of various articles of clothing, and with having used personal violence. The prisoners pleaded not guilty. This is the case of the outrageous robbery that occurred some time since at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, and in which, through the exertions of the Superintendent of Police this grand haul was made of the guilty parties. From the evidence the following appeared to be a simple narrative of the facts of the case. Yip-a-sing, a grave digger at the Cemetery, lived in a brick house just inside the wall gate, in company with five others. On the night of the 17th of February, having retired about seven o'clock, at between ten and eleven he and his companions were aroused by a pounding at the outer door of their house with stones, as also a like noise at the window. The result of this pounding was that those without broke in the door. Complainant resisted, and had a fight at the door with two men, whom he recognized as prisoners No 4 and 5. Others afterwards got in by the window, and complainant was then knocked down senseless by a stone thrown at him. The two men with whom he was fighting were armed with spears. Lee-a-qui, another of the inmates of the cemetery-house, was also in the fight, and received two wounds in the head from stones and a thrust from a spear. The men whom he saw making their way into the house had their faces painted. Neither this witness nor another, Lee-a-chop, could identify any of the prisoners as having taken part in the burglary. The noise was heard by the policeman on the beat near the cemetery, and he immediately gave the alarm to station No. 2, and a force was turned out, but by the time they got to the cemetery all the robbers were running up the hill. Several pistol shots were fired after them, but without effect.

Inspector Langdon, of the Wanchai Station, heard the firing of pistols on the night in question. He turned out his men, and placed them so as to cut off the escape of any persons who might be coming from the direction of the firing. He did not succeed, however, in coming across any one, but at daylight next morning he found himself on the pathway leading from Murray Barracks to Aberdeen, and strewn along this pathway a number of articles, that had evidently been taken from the Cemetery, on visiting which he found a number of the graves defaced. Nothing further appears to have transpired until March 7th, when Mr. Deane, at daylight in the morning, made a descent upon the matshed connected with the rifle butts, and arrested all the prisoners who were found therein. In the matshed was found numerous articles of clothing, and a box, the key of which was given up by third prisoner, who claimed it as his property. In it was found a pair of trowsers, a book, and some pawn tickets. One of these pawn tickets, dated February 19th, the day after the robbery, was taken to the pawn shop where it belonged, and it was found that a small red blanket was the article pledged. This blanket and the trowsers were most positively identified by Yip-a-sing as his property.

This was the case for the prosecution. The three men who lived at the cemetery deposed to the above facts, and still bore the marks of the wounds they had received. Dr. Cochrane deposed to the men being admitted to the Civil Hospital on the 18th of February, and as to the nature of their wounds. When it was found that only two of the prisoners could be identified as having taken part in the robbery, the Attorney-General amended the information by adding a second count, charging them with receiving stolen goods.

In defence, the first prisoner said he was 60 years old. He came to the colony on the 24th of February, that he had a son in America, and on his account he drew from a compradore in Messrs. Russell and Co.'s, an annuity of four dollars a month. The book found in his possession when arrested was the compradore's pass book for these payments.

Number six said he was the son of the first, and came down to this colony to accompany his father. Number two was a street-coolie, unemployed, and merely staying at the shed. Number three was a marker in the employ of the Rifle Association. Number four and five were street coolies, unemployed, number seven was in the employ of the military store, number eight was the cook to the markers, and number nine and ten were markers at the butts in the employ of the Rifle Association. The first prisoner called the compradore, who substantiated what he had said regarding the payments he was to receive. The third, eighth, ninth, and tenth prisoners called the head marker at the rifle butts, who identified these men as in the employ of the association as under markers.

In charging the jury, His Lordship called attention to the fact of there being no evidence going to show that any of the prisoners except four and five had anything to do with the burglary, but these two men had been most unmistakably identified by the man Yip-a-sing alone, as having taken part in the fight. The Attorney-General had added a second count to the information, that of having in their possession goods known to have been stolen, but was this proved against any of the prisoner except the third? It was in his box that the pawnticket had been found.

The jury retired, and after only a few moments absence returned a verdict of guilty against the fourth and fifth prisoners on the first count, that of burglary and personal violence, and guilty on the second count, that of receiving stolen property against the third prisoner, and against the other seven a verdict of not guilty. Judgment was reserved. These same ten prisoners are still hold under another charge of a similar nature, which will be tried to-day with a new jury. The court was then adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

Mutiny on board the "Marie Therese."

On Wednesday morning last, twenty one of the coolies who were on board the above ship, under an agreement to go to Surinam, were brought to the Central Station, charged with fighting and other mutinous conduct on board that vessel. The case was remanded to-day, and when the twenty-one fellows were brought into the second or smaller police court, where Mr. May was sitting, they quite filled the dock, packed tight. Captain Bonnefon, of the French barque *Marie Therese*, stated that on the 17th inst., he was asleep in his cabin when he heard shouts and cries on deck, he got up and looked out, when he found the coolies were fighting, two of them were lying on deck bleeding and several appeared wounded; himself and crew went aft and armed themselves, but did not interfere to stop the fight; the coolies used anything about the decks they could lay their hands on, there seemed to be two parties fighting, one those who wished to remain and go to a foreign country, and the other those who wished to return to the shore. The captain stated that the constable on board his vessel asked him to let him take a boat and go for assistance, which the captain did; he further stated that one of the Chinese agents had got nearly killed for giving information to him, and would have been it the first mate had not rescued him.

During this witness's examination, Mr. Jonathan Bask and the captain himself both objected to the French interpreter, the captain saying he could not quite understand him, and Mr. Bask alleging that the interpreter did not give the real translation of what the captain said, Mr. May accordingly sent for Mr. Osmond, of the Register-General's office, who seemed to do much better.

The proceeding could not go on owing to the want of a Hakka interpreter, who was asked for by the prisoners, so his worship adjourned the case until to-morrow morning (to-day), advising that the first mate and the Chinese Agent who had been beaten should be produced and examined.

Scenery and Society in Mauritius.*

(*From the "Saturday Review."*)

Mauritius is a place that deserves to be well remembered and well described. The reports which visitors and residents give of it induce the belief that there are few more beautiful islands in the world. The views which we have seen of the entrance to the harbour of Port Louis remain impressed on our memories with the harmonious confusion of quaint mountain-peaks rising in the background from shores fringed with spreading palms and cocoa-nuts. Nothing can be more strangely picturesque than the configuration of the mountains, and a sail round the island must present them to the eye in multiform variety. Nor is the landscape the only striking view which Mauritius offers. Composed as its population is of almost every Eastern and African element, with two or three European elements, the traveller is perpetually meeting new types of physiognomy and new styles of costume. Add to these specimens of novelty a tropical sky, cloudless by day and night for four months of the year, and in the hot season vexed by tempests such as we rarely witness in these colder climes; houses built in a fashion utterly unknown to the inhabitants of Western Europe; fruits and flowers of a form, flavour, and beauty undreamed of by the mass of untravelled Europeans; and it is clear that this island has pretensions to be described by one who combines the qualities of an artist and a poet. That Mr. Boyle is neither one nor the other detracts much from the effect of his work. Still, though his book has no particular animation, and is deformed by that most detestable of faults, an affectation of facetiousness in season and out of season, his faculty of observation has enabled him to see many things which are worth knowing. If, with this faculty, he had combined those of vivid imagination and poetical description, his record would have been more likely to live than it now is.

The following is his description of the Port Louis population:—

"You can have no idea how striking and varied a feature of life in Port Louis is its population. You have natives from every part of the vast continent of India, all differing not less in feature than in form. Weedy and athletic men, imperial looking, by far the rarest of the two; and miserable, insignificant women. They are of all hues and shades. In the course of half an hour's walk, you stumble on Parsees, Arabs, Cingalese, Chinamen, Lascars, Malays, Mozambiques, and Malgaches (natives of Madagascar). Add to these the negro, the mulatto, the French Creole, the English Creole; nor do I throw in all other Europeans. Picture to yourself the confusion of tongues and diversity of costume of all this small Babel. Nothing can be more diverting to the eye, at least to mine, than a drive or a stroll through the most frequented thoroughfares of Port Louis."

This motley group testifies to one of the greatest economical experiments ever made. Mauritius had a large slave population both before and after its cession to England. When emancipation came, its negro population, like that of other tropical colonies, ceased to work, or worked but poorly in the central parts, and its forests afforded ample ground for the emancipated population to squat in. It seemed quite probable that the cultivation of the island would dwindle away, and that the wealth which its connexion with England had introduced into it would disappear. Fortunately Mauritius possessed one grand resource which was denied to the West Indian colonies. It was near India; and the labouring population of India was known to be poorly paid and fed. It was suggested that labourers should be brought down to replace the negroes on the estates. The first experiment was mismanaged and failed. Not only did it fail, but it roused the suspicions of the London philanthropists, who thought they saw in it an attempt to reintroduce slavery under another name. The local Government sympathized with this fear, and directed its influence rather towards preventing than facilitating the immigration. Ultimately, the accession of Lord Grey to the Colonial-office disarmed the Exeter Hall party, if not of its jealousy, at any rate of its hostility, and the Indian immigration was placed on a footing which, while it supplied solvent planters with an adequate amount of labour, satisfied the scruples of the reasonably humane men. If Lord Grey had never done anything else during his tenure of the seals of the Colonial Office, he would have done enough to earn the gratitude of the colonist by his successful efforts to reconcile the claims of humanity with the interests of the planters. Perhaps no system was ever better worth being studied by philosophical economists than the code of instructions under which the transport, employment, and protection of Coolie immigrants into Mauritius were secured. The results are a production of sugar more than doubled since the time of emancipation, annual exports the value of one million and a quarter, and an Indian population in the proportion of about two to one to all the other inhabitants. With such a large, alien element Mauritius presents many features purely Indian to the English observer. Mr Boyle thus describes the appearance of the Indians in the Bazaar of Port Louis:—

"All over these stone floors, before their respective heaps of vegetables and fruits and flowers, of which some are tumbling over out of the brimful baskets, some piled up on the ground, you see squatted little parties of Indian women. Numberless plump, small, stark naked urchins of both sexes are running and frisking about, or sprawling and playing at their mothers' sides. They look like so many pieces of dark polished marble, or still more like the little chocolate figures in the bonbons shops on the Paris Boulevards. These market women are, with few exceptions, very handsomely dressed, and evidently the Bazaar is held to be worth the pains of a little daily coquetry. Fresh buds and leaves are often twisted into their black silken shining hair, along with a profusion of gold or silver ornaments. The ear and nose are loaded with rings. In the nose one rarely sees more than one, but often large enough to fall below the lips, and so far convenient, as it is possible to eat through it. In a single ear I have counted as many as five rings, of different shapes, while in the other you may see but one. Indians do not consider such a want of conformity in bad taste, and I rather agree with them. These ear-rings are generally set with roughly cut emeralds or rubies, or pearls, but they are seldom of any size. Look at that woman, . . her round plump shoulders are quite bare. A bright apple-green muslin drapery with a crimson or lilac border is drawn across her full and scarcely concealed bosom. With this she wears a tight-fitting silk jacket of some dark rich colour. A mass of deep orange folds of a thicker material twines about her legs, which, however, are left sufficiently uncovered to display the anklets and numberless toe rings. The cross divisions of her hair between the roots are bedaubed with a blood-coloured sort of paste. A round spot of the same, about as big as an official wafer, is on her forehead, and the inside of her mouth is nearly as red with the juice of the betel nut she is chewing. Sometimes the paint descends in a straight line to the very tip of the nose. . . . . Her arms are tattooed and loaded with broad circles of gold or silver, crowded together between the shoulder and elbow, and again from the wrists upwards nearly to meet the others. These women often look as if they were half in armour. As a variety, knobs of one or the other metal dangle from thongs of leather, and the throat is encircled by a plain collar, not unlike an English dog's, but of the above named more costly material; or there is a row of large golden or silver coins, sovereigns, or rupees, or some piece of money or other, with a small wire or crimson thread run through them. Now and then one sees a face as remarkable for beauty and regularity of feature as the costume is for its richness, but as a rule you do not meet with many handsome Indian women."

No place in the world, we should think, not even excepting Malta, can present such a varied contrast of colours, faces, costumes, and languages as this small colony.

That the Indian immigration was absolutely necessary is clear from the character of the emancipated negroes. Our author is evidently afraid of provoking the wrath of the Anti-Slavery Society, but he cannot help speaking his mind about the shortcomings of the negro, who is in Mauritius very much what he is in Barbadoes and Jamaica, only less stalwart in frame, and less insolent in demeanour. Like his more Western compatriot, he is fond of dress, show, holidays, and idleness. Though he can work, he won't. Despite their love of finery, "the genuine black natives of the island are almost universally filthy in their habits, and in their persons too; and slovenly to the last degree, if not disgustingly dirty, in their dress; generally both." It is recorded that during the memorable and fatal cholera of 1854 there were negro huts in which *bottes vernies* and shirts with cambric frills and dandy gloves were to be found, but not a blanket, or a single pot, pan, or basin in which broth could be cooked or served. The natural consequence was that the negro population perished in excess beyond all others. That such a population should eschew domestic service except for its own occasional convenience, and then, when it found it convenient, should perform its duties carelessly and faithlessly, was only too likely. Unfortunately, education, which was expected to correct these defects of the negro mind, has only made them worse. The young negro, in addition to disliking work, learns to despise it; and, as he has not conceived the idea of preferring his claim to the estates of the white inhabitants, he is forced to supply the necessities of his easy life by pretty theft. But, idle and thievish as the negro of the present day is, he is the same jocund, laughing, reckless being that he is everywhere else, when not warped and soured by political teachings.

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COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.

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Dried Persimmons, 100 baskets, at Tls. 4.8.0., Wo-fat to Canton merchant.

White Wax, 1 piece, at $100.00, by How-wo to Tung-kwan merchant.

Wheat Flour, 30 bags, at $1.63, by Leong-yee to travelling merchant.

Rice, 1500 piculs, at $1.50, by Borneo Co. Limited to Ki-cheong-wing.

Corean Ginseng, 10 catties, at $20.80, by Sum-mow to Canton merchant.

Corean Ginseng, 20 catties, at $18.80, by Sum-mow to Canton merchant.

White Alum, 150 piculs, at $2.28, by Kwong-thing-ling to Tung-shing.

Birdsnests, (3rd quality,) 20 piculs, at $128.00, by Shun-chun-shing to Canton merchant.

Wheat Flour, 400 bags, at $1.62, by Yee-wo-cheong to travelling merchant.

Almonds, 19 bags, at $52.00, by Yek-fat to Canton merchant.

Rattans, 100 piculs, at $3.35, by Kwong-man-cheong to Canton merchant.

Rattans, 50 piculs, at $4.10, by Kwong-man-cheong to Canton merchant.

Rattans, 200 piculs, at $4.30, by Kwong-man-cheong to Canton merchant.

Fungus, 30 bags, at $35.50, by Kwong-fook-wo to Canton merchant.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.

Hongkong, March 19th.

OPIUM.—Patna, Cash, new, $697½; old, $692½, sales.

Benares, Cash, new, $690; old, $685, sales.

Malwa, Cash $680 to $690, sales.

On time, Patna, new, $687½; old, $680, dull, *Scotia's* cargo $677½, sales.

3rd Sales Patna, $665, sales.

COTTON.—Japan, none; Ningpo, none; Shanghai, &c., none; Bengal, $15 to $21; Bombay, $16 to $22, sales.

RICE.—Bengal and Manila, none; Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $1.40 to $1.90, sales.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SALE.

THE Hulk *Celestial*, as she now lies at Aberdeen, in good order, well found, and suitable for a floating store or residence.

For particulars apply to
JNO. S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.

tf 49 Hongkong, 7th January, 1868.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the portion of *Robinson Road* which lies between *Castle Road* and *Bonham Road* is CLOSED to the Public from this date, during certain alterations and repairs. By order,
W. WILSON,
Surveyor-General.

Surveyor-General's Office,
Hongkong, 17th December, 1867. tf 292

LOST.

ON FRIDAY, the 13th instant, a Black Retriever DOG, about 10 months old, answers to the name of "Prince." He had on a leather collar with brass plate, but no name thereon. Whoever will bring the same to 16, *Queen's Road West*, will be Rewarded.

1w 548 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

A MESS MAN required for the Officers of the 1st Batt. 10th Regt., about to proceed to Japan. Apply to Captain DENNY, P.M.O., on board H. M. S. *Tamar*.

tf 516 Hongkong, 14th March, 1868.

THE FRENCH LANGUAGE taught in six months, and able to Speak it fluently. Moderate Terms. Address M. C., *Daily Press* Office.

tf 387 Hongkong, 25th February, 1868.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for this Port for the Liverpool Underwriters' Association.
GILMAN & Co.

1m 477 Hongkong, 7th March, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for LLOYDS at this port.
WM. G. HALE & Co.

1m 442 Saigon, 25th February, 1868.

THE Office of the Undersigned is REMOVED to *Gage Street*, corner of *Lyndhurst Terrace*.
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

tf 5 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Office of the Agency of P. M. S. S. COMPANY is REMOVED to *Praya West*, next door below HARBOUR MASTER'S Office.
GEO. F. BOWMAN,
Agent.

tf 2194 Hongkong, 29th October, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Offices of the Undersigned are temporarily REMOVED to their Premises in *Queen's Road*.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 425 Hongkong, 29th February, 1868.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES.

The Colonial Secretary,
The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq.,
GEO. HEARD, Esq.
The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio).
W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., *Resident Surgeon*,
Mr. YOUNG, *House Surgeon*.
W. PATERSON, Esq., *Hon. Treasurer*.

TERMS OF ADMISSION—

1st Class (Private Room), per day		$3.00
2nd "	(2 Beds in a Room) "	$2.00
3rd "	(Public Wards) "	$0.75

These charges are inclusive of all Medicines and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines or Articles not in the recognised Dietary Table.

All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony.

(Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended.

1st Class	$60.
2nd "	$40.
3rd "	$20.)

By order,
W. PATERSON,
Treasurer.

tf 21 Hongkong, 3rd January, 1868.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS at the above Port afford every facility for Repairing and Sparring Vessels, Cleaning and Painting Iron Ships, and Repair and Refit of STEAM MACHINERY AND BOILERS.

The large GRANITE DOCK is 307 feet in length, fitted with a Caisson Gate, and with a Centrifugal steam-pump of great power, ensuring despatch in all states of the tides. At average spring tides this DOCK can receive vessels drawing 16 to 17 feet, and during the Autumn and Winter Months, 18 feet. Their two smaller DOCKS, also built of Granite, can receive vessels drawing 12 to 13 feet.

The Premises contain a large SMITHY and BOILER SHOP, CARPENTERS and BOAT-BUILDERS' SHOPS. An

ENGINEERS' WORKSHOP,

fitted with Lathes and other Tools driven by steam.

AN IRON FOUNDRY

for castings up to 5 Tons weight, and a BRASS FOUNDRY.

The different departments are superintended by experienced Europeans, viz.—ENGINEER, BLACKSMITH and SHIPWRIGHTS.

The Company keep on hand Copper and Metal Sheathing, Spars, Timber, Paints for Iron Vessels, and all material for Dockyard use.

A DRY GODOWN for reception of stores of vessels requiring to discharge them.

Good Quarters for Officers of ships under repair in the DOCK.

tf 2958 Amoy, 18th December, 1867.

THE PRAYA CASE.

FOR SALE, a few Copies of the pamphlet containing a full report of the Recent Trial of this Case, including the Documentary evidence relied upon on each side.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

Apply at the *Daily Press* Office.

tf 498 Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

JAPAN TIMES OVERLAND MAIL AND PACIFIC MAIL EXTRA.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. having been appointed Agents for the two above-named Newspapers, are prepared to receive orders and subscriptions for the same.

The price of the *Overland Mail*, is $12 per Annum; of the *Pacific Mail Extra*, $3 per Annum, to subscribers to the *Overland Mail*, and $4 to non-subscribers. Subscriptions are in all cases payable in advance, and no charge is made for postage.

tf 2810 Hongkong, 4th December, 1867.

CONFECTIONERY, ICE CREAMS, &c.

THE Undersigned beg to inform their Friends and the Public that they have opened the Premises Nos. 88 and 90, *Queen's Road Central*, lately known as the "ALBION HOTEL," as a *Café*, and for the sale of CONFECTIONERY of all descriptions, manufactured by a thoroughly competent European artiste.

In connection with the above is also a BAKERY, under the charge of an experienced European, from which the best English and French Bread, Brown Bread, Ship Bread, Biscuits, &c., of all descriptions, will be supplied at moderate rates.

Ice Creams, Ornamental Cakes of all descriptions, Bon Bons, Pies, Jellies, Syrups, &c., &c. of the Best quality supplied on the shortest notice.

A Private Room, Large Airy Billiard Saloon, and Piano, for the recreation of Visitors.

The undersigned hope by supplying none but first-class articles, and by strict attention to business, to merit a share of the public Patronage.
F. FRANCIS & Co.

1m 484 Hongkong, 9th March, 1868.

WM. DOLAN,
SAIL MAKER, &c.,
Duddell Street,
Opposite the French Consulate.

tf 631 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1866.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

THE Steamship
"UNDINE,"
Capt. Toppin, will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 550 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE British Steamship
"ARRATOON APCAR,"
Capt. de Smidt, will leave for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 21st instant, at 4 P.M. Dispatches will close at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents.

4d 540 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE steamer
"SCOTIA,"
expected from Calcutta in a few days, will have *immediate* dispatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

5d 549 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR NAGASAKI.

THE A 1 brig
"THETIS,"
Oeltermann, Master, having engaged the larger portion of her Cargo will meet with immediate dispatch.

For Freight, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.

4d 541 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY.

THE A 1 Russian ship
"GLENLEE,"
Burkitt, Master, having engaged the larger portion of her Cargo will meet with immediate dispatch.

For Freight, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.

11d 513 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE.

THE A 1 British Clipper-ship
"VANGUARD,"
Capt. Hunter, will be dispatched to the above port on or before the 28th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

11d 543 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.

THE First-class British ship
"ONWARD,"
well-known in this trade for her quick passages and superior accommodation, has room for a few more First-class Passengers.

Apply to Captain WHITE,
on board *Onward*.

1w 539 Hongkong, 17th March, 1868.

FOR MANILA.

THE A 1 Spanish Barque
"MARIA LUISA,"
Arrcetes, Master, will have immediate dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

2w 522 Hongkong, 16th March, 1868.

FOR MANILA.

THE A 1 Spanish Barque
"MINERVA,"
Carreras, Master, will have immediate dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.

tf 502 Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY.

THE Russian steamship
"SHAFTESBURY,"
will be dispatched for the above ports on the 21st instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.

11d 494 Hongkong, 11th March, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO, AND TIENTSIN.

THE steamship
"SUNRISE,"
Capt. Buchan, will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 459 Hongkong, 5th March, 1868.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.

THE A 1 Clipper-ship
"ONWARD,"
William Whyte, Master, will be dispatched for the above ports at an early date; having the greater portion of her cargo engaged.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ROZARIO & Co.

tf 395 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY.

THE A 1 French Clipper-barque
"OCEAN,"
Capt. Hugues, will have early dispatch as above.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.

tf 299 Hongkong, 13th February, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE British ship
"CHELSEA,"
907 Tons Register, Lowe, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BOSMAN & Co.

tf 279 Hongkong, 11th February, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 French schooner
"JOSEPHINE AMEDEE,"
Capt. Lagarde, of 3,200 piculs carrying capacity.

Apply to
P. & P. DERODE FRERES.

tf 544 Hongkong, 18th March, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 British Clipper-ship
"ELIZA,"
Capt. Sedgley, 1378 Tons Register. Apply to
OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 447 Hongkong, 4th March, 1868.

NEWS AGENCY.

J. B. MORRIS, News Agent, Hongkong, being now prepared to receive orders for any Newspaper or Magazine, published in England or the United States of America, at prices as low as those charged by any Home Agency, begs to solicit the support of the reading Public, and assures those who may favour him with their Orders that the same shall be executed faithfully and promptly.

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For subscription lists, with prices, &c.,
Apply to J. B. MORRIS,
Care of Messrs. BOWRA & Co.,
Hongkong.

461 Hongkong, 5th March, 1868.

"STAG" HOTEL.

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

PERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment.
EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Proprietor.

tf 2910 Hongkong, 16th December, 1867.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

THE above HOTEL is now open, where Families and Gentlemen can find superior accommodation.

Private Rooms for Dinner parties.

Breakfast, from	9 to 10 A.M.
Tiffin,	1 to 2 P.M.
Dinner,	7 P.M.

N.B.—The Public Bar was opened on SATURDAY, the 7th instant.

468 Hongkong, 9th March, 1868.

THE MEMBERS of the late HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.
H. COHEN.

tf 681 Hongkong, 14th March, 1867.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION.	VESSEL'S NAME.	CAPTAIN.	AT	FOR FREIGHT, APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED.
SYDNEY	Ocean	Hugues	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	Chelsea	Lowe	Hongkong	Bosman & Co.	Quick dispatch.
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Onward	Wm. Whyte	Hongkong	Rozario & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY	Shaftesbury (str.)		Whampoa	Landstein & Co.	To-morrow, the 21st inst.
Do. Do.	Glenlee	Burkitt	Hongkong	Landstein & Co.	Quick dispatch.
S'PORE, PENANG & C'CUTTA	Arratoon Apcar (str.)	De Smidt	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	To-morrow, at 4 P.M.
Do. Do. Do.	Scotia (str.)			Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE	Vanguard	Hunter	Hongkong	Reynvaan Brothers & Co.	on or before the 28th inst.
MANILA	Minerva	Carreras	Hongkong	Remedios & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Maria Luisa	Arrcetes	Hongkong	Augustine, Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NAGASAKI	Thetis	Oeltermann	Hongkong	Landstein & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI, CHEFOO & T'TSIN	Sunrise (str.)	Buchan	Hongkong	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	Undine (str.)	Toppin	Hongkong	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Quick dispatch.

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SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE.
DRAPERS, SILK MERCERS
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Have now some special novelties in
WHITE MUSLIN JACKETS,
FRILLED SKIRTS,
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AND
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A large selection of
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The Silk and Dress Departments comprise a variety of
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which in quality and style are unsurpassed in the East.

The Evening Department is replete with the richest
GAUZE DE CHAMBREYS,
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AND
OPERA CLOAKS

LADIES' AND JUVENILE,
UNDER CLOTHING,
CORSETS, CRINOLINES,
CHILDREN'S BRAIDED ROBES AND PELISSES.

The MILLINERY, and DRESSMAKING ROOMS, being under the management of Two EXPERIENCED West End Assistants, every advantage is afforded of combining the NEWEST DESIGNS with EXPERIENCE and TASTE.

tf 261 Hongkong, 8th February, 1868.

SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

Have just received a choice Assortment of
MILLINERY,
Ex Mail Steamer.

The leading Fashions in trimmed
BONNETS AND HATS,
From Paris and London.

A Select Stock of
FRENCH FLOWERS AND FEATHERS,

Every size in
WHITE AND COLORED KID GLOVES
In their usual well-known makes.

tf 262 Hongkong, 8th February, 1868.

J. AND A. TENNENT'S PORTER.
DAVID CORSAR & SONS'

Merchant Navy	CANVAS.
Navy Boiled	
Long Flax	
Crown	

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

tf 1181 Hongkong, 11th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.

CHAMPAGNE, ADOLPHE COLLIN'S and L. JAUNAY & Co.'s Association Vinicole.
CLARET, Real CHATEAU MARGAUX.
Do. HAUT BAGES.
Do. L'ESPAREE DUROC.
BRANDY, HENNESSY'S and MARTELL'S, in 1 dozen Cases.
BEER and PORTER, in Bottle.
BUTTER, (PLATT'S) in Kegs.
Also,
A quantity of IRON COLUMNS. Yellow METAL, 20/28 ozs., with NAILS. Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 2494 Hongkong, 13th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ'S YELLOW METAL, 20/28 ozs., and NAILS. Apply to
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 1408 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex P. M. S. S. *China*.

GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS, in boxes of 50 each,
HENRY CLAY FLOR FINA,
FLOR DE MATA Y. GARCIA,
Regalia de la Reyna.

At very moderate prices.
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

tf 362 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1868.

FOR SALE.

SUPERIOR MANILA CIGARS, No. 2,
do. do. CHEROOTS, No. 2.
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

tf 363 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1868.

FOR SALE.

A SMALL Printing and Lithographic PRESS, with all requisites and fittings, COPPER DYE for Programmes, &c., &c. Very complete and useful, and will be sold cheap.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 135 Hongkong, 20th January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

100 Barrels PRIME PORK. 100 Barrels MESS BEEF. Apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

tf 59 Hongkong, 10th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THE desirable PROPERTY on *Queen's Road*, lately occupied by Messrs. SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

For particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

tf 2932 Hongkong, 19th December, 1867.

HOSTETTER, SMITH AND DEAN,
IMPORTERS OF
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
ACIDS, DYE STUFFS,
PROPRIETARY MEDICINES,
DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, PERFUMERY,
Etc., Etc. Etc.
Pacific Depot for
HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS,
SAN FRANCISCO,
California.

3m 100 San Francisco, 4th December, 1867.

GEORGE F. SILVESTER
SEEDSMAN.

Importer and Dealer in all kinds of
VEGETABLE, FLOWER, FIELD, FRUIT
AND
TREE SEEDS.

Garden Tools, Plants, Trees, &c.,
No. 317, WASHINGTON STREET,
Between Battery and Front,
SAN FRANCISCO,
California.

3m 102 San Francisco, 4th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.

150 Cases Martinez' AROMATIC BITTERS, superior quality,
100 Cases SHERRY.
100 Cases PORT.
MÜLLER & CLAUSSEN.

tf 86 Hongkong, 14th January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, complete.
MÜLLER & CLAUSSEN.

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For Sale.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Belted Will* and Late Arrivals.

BOURDON'S PRESSURE and VACUUM GUAGES.
COPPER and BRASS WIRE,
of assorted sizes.
SHEET LEAD and ZINC.
LEAD PIPE, of sizes.
TUCK'S RUBBER PACKING.
RUBBER and CANVAS HOSE.
Blacksmiths' BELLOWS & Working TOOLS.
BAR STEEL and ANGLE IRON.
LEATHER BELTING.
DEEP SEA and HAND LEAD LINES.
COPAL VARNISH.
TAPS and DIES, in Sets.
RATCHETT and MAN DRILLS.
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SHEATHING FELT.
LIME JUICE, YORK HAMS.
ENGLISH and CALIFORNIA CHEESE.
Galvanized NAILS, HOOKS and THIMBLES, and BLEW IRONS.
Brass and Iron LOCKS, of all kinds. FILES.
THOS. HUNT & Co.

1m 446 Hongkong, 4th March, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Chinaman*, *Avon*, *Fiery Cross* and others.
AT
FAWCETT & Co.'s,

BUTTER, in Kegs, Jars, and FRESH ditto, in 1 lb. Tins.
BRISTOL TRIPE, in Jars.
SALMON, in Kits, HERRINGS, in ditto.
CHEESE, Cheddar and Edam (round).
COD ROES, in 1 lb. Tins.
FRESH HERRINGS, in 2 lbs. Tins.
Leadenhall OX-TONGUES, in Kegs.
PRESERVED MEATS.
Bologna and Cambridge SAUSAGES.
GREEN PEAS, in 1 and 2 lbs. Tins.
Soluble COCOA.
COCOA and MILK. MUSHROOMS.
Mixed and other SPICES.
SWISS MILK, LOAF SUGAR.
ASSORTED SAUCES.
PICKLES, JAMS, TART FRUITS,
ANCHOVIES, YORK HAMS, &c., &c.
Also,
BASS'S PALE ALE, in Pints, Quarts, and in Wood.
GUINNESS'S DUBLIN STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.
LONDON PORTER, in ditto ditto.
HENNESSY'S PALE BRANDY, in bottle and on draught.
Superior Old PORT, and Pale SHERRY.
And,
Dinner Services, Dessert ditto, Chamber Sets, Cups and Saucers, Jugs, Mugs and Basins, Pie-dishes, Pudding Basins, Frying Pans, Sauce-pans and Teakettles, Knife Boards, Telescopes, Corks, Bottling Taps, Key ditto, Sausage Machines, Hand Cuffs, Leg Cuffs, Coffee Mills, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Scissors, Assortment of Locks, Soft Soap, Yellow ditto, Indigo Blue, Rigging and Pump Leather, Copper Tacks and Damps and Burrs, Wooden Taps, Shoe Brushes, Paint Brushes and Sash Tools, and a large variety of other goods.

An Inspection is respectfully solicited.

tf 436 Hongkong, 10th March, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Ex late arrivals, direct from France.

250 CASES Superfine OLIVE OIL, from Nice.
200 Cases Best quality of VERMOUTH, NOILLY PRAT.
50 Cases ABSYNTH, NOILLY PRAT.
50 Cases French WINE BITTERS, in Quarts.
50 Cases FRUITS AU JUS, assorted.
An Invoice of the well-known French BUTTER, in Bottles, of excellent quality.
French CHOCOLATE, Plain.
Dutch CHOCOLATE, flavored with Vanilla.
GELATINE, in Packages to suit.
Finest Mexican VANILA BEANS, in Tins.
ANCHOVIES in Bottle, COD ROES, LAMPREY, *à la Matelote*; and a large assortment of every description of French PATEES TRUFFEES, MEATS, SAUSAGES, FISH, VEGETABLES, &c.
Also,
ROUSSILLION WINE, in Cask.
BANDOL WINE in Cask.
NARBONNE WINE in Cask.
CHATEAUX LA FITTE, LA ROSE, LATOUR, MARGAUX, ST. JULIEN and other Brands in Cases.
Very Dry CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts and Pints, and in Half-Pints. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2764 Hongkong, 29th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.

300 BARRELS Fresh California FLOUR. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2765 Hongkong, 29th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.

500 CASES Genuine Schiedam GIN, mark *NSBD.*
50 Cases *AVH* in White Bottles, Genuine Brand. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2766 Hongkong, 29th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Southern Cross* and other late arrivals.

BASS'S ALE in Pints and Quarts.
GUINNESS'S STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.
BARCLAY & Co.'s STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.
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LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2768 Hongkong, 29th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex late arrivals.

PRIME California CHEESE.
Prime Gruyere do.
Prime California BUTTER.
100 Barrels Hamburg Prime Mess PORK.
Prime Westphalia HAMS. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2983 Hongkong, 21st December, 1867.

EX MAIL STEAMER.

LYON SAUSAGES, in best condition.
CHEESE and HAMS.
Assorted French CONFECTIONERY.
Malaga RAISINS, in Bottles.
ALMONDS, in shells.
Peeled ALMONDS, in Tins and Bottles.
ELEME FIGS, in Tins.
PRUNES, in Bottle.
Smoked Pomeranian GOOSE BREASTS.
At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2984 Hongkong, 21st December, 1867.

MISS ROSE has received ex *Chaussee*, and late English Mail, a large and well selected Assortment of:—
Ladies BONNETS, Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS, FLOWERS and FEATHERS, HEAD-DRESSES, Peplum BELTS, &c., &c.
Lace SHAWLS, Velvet and Silk MANTLES.
Moire Antique, Silk, and Fancy DRESSES.
Dress and Mantle TRIMMINGS, HOSIERY, &c.
Ladies and Gentlemen's KID GLOVES, BOOTS, &c., &c.
Masonic APRONS, Ribbon, Tassels, &c.
All the newest designs in Christy's HATS.
Drab, Shell, Soft and Hard CROWN FELTS.
Glengarry, Balmoral and Alma CAPS.
Children's Ditto in Cloth and Velvet.
WELLINGTON STREET,
(OPPOSITE THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.)

tf 809 Hongkong, 14th February, 1868.

FOR SALE A Set of Double PONY HARNESS very complete, and handsome, best London make, Price $50.

Apply at the Office of this Paper.

tf 2758 Hongkong, 8th November, 1866.

COAL AT NINGPO.

STEAMERS can be supplied with COAL under Shanghai prices. A supply always on hand.
DAVIDSON & Co.

tf 801 Ningpo, 6th January, 1868.

For Sale.

SELLING OFF! SELLING OFF!!
SELLING OFF!!!

GREAT SACRIFICES!!!

SPLENDID BARGAINS!!!

MÜLLER & CLAUSSEN,

BEG to announce that they are SELLING OFF their stock of the undermentioned GOODS at Invoice prices, consisting of—
Black Cloth Dress FROCK and WALKING COATS.
Melton and Angola WALKING, SHOOTING and SAC COATS.
Melton and Witney YACHT JACKETS and OVER COATS.
Alpaca and Merino COATS.
Black Dress TROUSERS.
Fancy Buckskin, Angola, and Tweed TROUSERS.
Alpaca and Merino TROUSERS.
White and Colored LINEN TROUSERS.
Black Dress VESTS.
Buckskin and Angola VESTS.
Merino and Alpaca VESTS.
White MARCELLA and LINEN VESTS.
Colored LINEN VESTS.

A large lot of PIECE GOODS, comprising:—
Black and Blue BROAD CLOTHS and DOESKINS.
MELTONS, BUCKSKINS, ANGOLAS, TWEEDS, and FLANNELS,
Of this Season's Patterns.

Also a New Assortment of HOSIERY and SHIRTS of—
LONG CLOTH, with LINEN FRONTS, &c.
Silk and Wool SHIRTS.
Crimean SHIRTS.

Merino, Cotton, Lambswool, and Flannel DRAWERS and UNDER VESTS.
Merino, Cotton and Lambswool HALF HOSE.
Ladies' COTTON HOSE.

Dent's Kid and Driving GLOVES.
COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, Cholera BELTS, and CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS.

Christy's Silk, Shell and Felt HATS, in the Newest Shapes.
Dawson's BOOTS and SHOES.
UMBRELLAS, WALKING STICKS, Cloth and Hair BRUSHES.
PERFUMERY, FANCY SOAPS,
And a great variety of other GOODS.

MÜLLER AND CLAUSSEN,
Queen's Road.

tf 245 Hongkong, 6th February, 1868.

ANDREW MILLAR,
HOUSE AND SHIP PLUMBER,
COPPERSMITH AND BRASSFOUNDER,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.

SHEET COPPER and COPPER PIPE, Assorted Sizes and Thickness.
SHEET BRASS and BRASS PIPE, Assorted Sizes and Thickness.
SHEET LEAD and LEAD PIPE, Assorted Sizes and Thickness.
BRAZING SOLDER and BORAX.
Stuffing Box and Plain Plug, FLANGE COCKS.
STEAM WHISTLES, Assorted Sizes and Patterns.
Engine-room GONGS and BELLS, Assorted Sizes and Patterns.
TALLOW and WATER SYRINGES.
Ship's Common and Double Valve WATER CLOSETS.
IRON, STEEL, COPPER, and BRASS WIRE, Assorted Sizes.
Brass Castings, Executed on Moderate Terms.

House Water Closets, Urinals, and Wash Hand Basins, in Earthenware and Enamelled Iron, fixed on the most improved principles, and at moderate Terms.

tf 216 Hongkong, 1st February, 1868.

TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases.
" SHERRY " 3 "
" PORT " 2 "
" CLARET " 1 "
BIRLEY & Co.

FOR SALE.

DOWNTONS' PUMPS.

As under:—
One 7 inch, 3 lift patent PUMP, with Cast Iron flywheel and handles, and with 6 hole 7 inch suction plate, with goose neck pipes and fittings complete.
One 5½ inch do. do. do.
Two 6 inch Gun Metal Fire ENGINES, with Hose complete.
BOWRA & Co.

tf 163 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1868.

AT THE BAZAAR EUROPEAN.

A. ULLMAN begs to invite his Friends and the Public to inspect his new Stock of Drapery, Haberdashery, Hosiery, Jewellery and Fancy Goods, &c., arrived by last mail, which will be disposed of at very moderate prices, viz:—
Cotton, Linen and Woollen Shirts.
Ready-made Clothing.
Felt Hats (assorted Shapes and Colors.)
Table Covers.
Towelling.
Men's Socks.
Rugs.
Umbrellas.
French and English Boots.
Perfumery.
Opera Glasses.
Watches (Gold and Silver.)
Gold Chains.
Meerschaum Pipes and Cigar Holders, and several other Articles too numerous to mention.

FOR SALE.

A FEW Cases of very Superior SHERRY, just received ex *Channel Queen*.

A H	Superior Amontillado SHERRY, in 3 dozen Cases.
VSA H	Superior Oloroso SHERRY, in 3 dozen Cases.
SOS H	Extra Superfine SHERRY, in 2 dozen Cases.
SSS H	Quarter-casks (Cased) Superior Oloroso SHERRY.
SOS	

Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 189 Hongkong, 28th January, 1868.

BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS, with Plain and Canopy Tops, in variety of Colours.
RAY & Co.

tf 416 Hongkong, 29th February, 1868.

EX FRENCH MAIL *CAMBODGE*.

ALEX. BOYER has received a large Assortment of FRENCH FLOWERS.
LADIES' BONNETS.
French Printed MUSLINS, 25 and 30 cents per yard.
Plain and Fancy Black GRENADINES, for Dresses.
Black MERINOS and PARAMATTAS.
LLAMAS, in all Colours.
White Satin BOOTS and SHOES.
LADIES' Polonais BOOTS.
LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S Gauze UNDER SHIRTS.
GENTLEMEN'S Linen COLLARS.
UMBRELLAS.
CHRISTY'S FELT HATS.
CHRISTY'S SILK HATS.
GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS.

tf 462 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

For Sale.

Ex *Fiery Cross*.

GOLF STICKS and BALLS.
CHRISTY'S HATS.
KEROSINE LAMPS.
FANCY FLANNELS.
OLYMPIC COLLARS.
Comet and Maltese CROSS SHERRIES.

Ex *Belted Will*.

BRASS BEDSTEADS.
LIPSCOMBE'S FILTERS.
PERFUMERY, in Large Variety.
Thread, Cotton, and Silk SOCKS.
Bathing DRAWERS.
OPERA GLASSES.
BASS, BARCLAY, and GUINNESS, in bottle.

Ex *Chinaman*.

PERAMBULATORS.
ELLWOOD'S HELMETS.
OVERLAND TRUNKS.
OFFICE BOOKS.
BUNTING.
Soda Water CORKS.
EUREKA SHIRTS.
ALPACAS and MERINOS.
BOOTS and SHOES.
RODGER'S CUTLERY.
UMBRELLAS.
PLATE GLASS.
COCOA MATTING.
A MAGIC LANTERN.
DESPATCH BOXES.
A few cases very fine STILL BURGUNDY.
SELTZER WATER.
MILK PUNCH.
&c. &c. &c.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

14d 497 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1868.

LADAGE, OELKE & Co.

BEG to call particular attention to their NEW GOODS, ex *Carmarthenshire* and *Serica*, viz:—

A RICH ASSORTMENT OF FANCY TWEEDS,

Suitable for the present season and in great variety of patterns.

MELTONS AND FANCY COATINGS,
WHITE SHIRTS WITH LINEN FRONTS,
All the new shape.
COLLARS, HANDKERCHIEFS, &c.

CARPET BAGS, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES,
MERINO AND ALPACCA COATS,
WAISTCOATS, and TROUSERS.

A perfect fit guaranteed by an
EXPERIENCED EUROPEAN CUTTER.

1m 402 Hongkong, 27th February, 1868.

FOR SALE.

THE Publications of the LONDON MISSION PRESS, at Shanghai.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 134 Hongkong, 20th January, 1868.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s first Parcel of Bass's OCTOBER BREW has arrived, per *Chinaman*.

15d 482 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1868.

FOR SALE.

YELLOW Metal, 16 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivian's.
JOHN BURD & Co.

tf 670 Hongkong, 6th April, 1866.

FOR SALE.

25 IRON WATER TANKS, of 400 gallons each. Apply to
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

tf 221 Hongkong, 3rd February, 1868.

FOR SALE.

20,000 Cubic Feet MANILA TIMBER, to arrive per French Barque *Maria Morion*. Apply to
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

tf 395 Hongkong, 27th February, 1868.

ROOFING AND SHEATHING FELT.

CONSTANTLY on hand for Sale by the Undersigned.
ROZARIO & Co.

tf 193 Hongkong, 29th January, 1868.

LEATHER AND SADDLES.

OF every description, suitable for the Chinese Market.

For Sale in quantities to suit by
MAIN & WINCHESTER,
San Francisco,
California.

3m 101 San Francisco, 4th December, 1867.

PORTRAITS.

MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS, and other PHOTOGRAPHS. Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, *Queen's Road*.

tf 536 Hongkong, 16th March, 1868.

WILLIAM HOBSON & Co.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
SHIP BROKERS, and AUCTIONEERS,
Osaca and Hiogo, Japan.

tf 90 14th January, 1868.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

INDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG AGENCY.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES; ALSO, BOMBAY, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship "*HOOGLY*," Commandant DE BOVIS, will leave this Port for the above places, with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, shortly after the arrival of the steamer *Dupleix*, expected from Shanghai on or about the 30th instant.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 27th; Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 27th. (Parcels are not to be sent on board, they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Queen's Road.
G. BERTRAND, *Principal Agent*.

Hongkong, 19th March, 1868.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.

STEAMERS will leave Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, as follows:—
Great Republic, Capt. DEANE, on or about April 15
China " LANE, " May 20

Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same dates, connecting with above-named steamers at Yokohama.

Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both *via* New York, and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 per cent. upon the whole amount for the round voyage.

Connections are made at Panama with Steam lines upon the west coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the Royal West India Mail Line, West India and Pacific Steamship Co. (Limited), and the French Transatlantic Co., and, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for following Steamship lines, Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steamship Co., and North German Lloyds.

Favorable arrangements have been made for through Passengers and Freight to America from Calcutta, Penang, and Singapore, and from Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.

Through Bills of Lading given for Freight to Ports of Mexico, and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton, and St. Nazaire, France.

For further information apply at the Agency of the Company, *Praya West*.
G. F. BOWMAN, *Agent*.

Hongkong, 29th February, 1868.

Post-Office Notifications.

A Mail will close.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—Per *Arratoon Apcar*. To-morrow, the 21st instant, at 3 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "BEHAR."

The Contract Packet "*BEHAR*," will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on WEDNESDAY, the 25th March, at 7 A.M., and the Post-Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 9 P.M. on the 24th March; Letters, &c., may be posted in the night box from 9 P.M. on the 24th March, until 5 A.M. on the following morning.

All Letters posted between 5 and 6 A.M. on the 25th March, will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a *Late Fee* of 18 cents.

The Latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 6 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 5 A.M. on the 25th March.

Further, Late Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom *via Marseilles*, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 6.30 to 6.50 A.M., on payment of a *Late Fee* of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the Window set apart for the purpose on the East side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Letters posted after 5 A.M. on the 25th March, will not be forwarded unless the *Late Fee* as well as the postage is prepaid.

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted after 9 P.M. on the 24th March, will be returned until after the mail is closed.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

It is hereby notified for general information that under the provisions of a new Postal Convention which has been concluded with the United States Post Office, the rates of postage chargeable upon Correspondence from Hongkong forwarded through the United Kingdom to the United States of America will henceforth be as follows, viz:—

FOR A LETTER.

Vid SOUTHAMPTON.

Under ½ oz.	Above ½ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz.	Above 1 oz. and not exceeding 1½ oz.	Above 1½ oz. and not exceeding 2 oz.	For every additional ½ oz.
Cents. 34	Cents. 68	$ cts. 1.02	$ cts. 1.36	Cents. 34

Vid MARSEILLES.

Under ½ oz.	Above ½ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz.	Above 1 oz. and not exceeding 1½ oz.	Above 1½ oz. and not exceeding 2 oz.	For every additional ½ oz.
Cents. 42	Cents. 84	$ cts. 1.26	$ cts. 1.68	Cents. 42

Book Packets and Patterns may also be forwarded in future from Hongkong to the United States by way of the United Kingdom. The postage on such Packets will be as follows, viz:—

FOR A BOOK PACKET OR A PACKET OF PATTERNS.

Vid SOUTHAMPTON.

Under 4 oz.	Above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.	Above 8 oz. and not exceeding 12 oz.	Above 12 oz. and not exceeding 16 oz.	For every additional 4 oz.
Cents. 14	Cents. 28	Cents. 42	Cents. 56	Cents. 14

Vid MARSEILLES.

Under 4 oz.	Above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.	Above 8 oz. and not exceeding 12 oz.	Above 12 oz. and not exceeding 16 oz.	For every additional 4 oz.
Cents. 18	Cents. 36	Cents. 54	Cents. 72	Cents. 18

For a Newspaper or Price Current *via* Southampton, 6 Cents.

For a Newspaper or Price Current *via* Marseilles, 8 Cents.

Prepayment of the postage is compulsory in each case.

Special attention is directed to the following Rules and Regulations, which will be strictly enforced.

AS REGARDS BOOKS.

A Book Packet may contain any number of separate Books, Almanacks, Maps, or Prints, and any quantity of paper, vellum or parchment (to the exclusion of letters whether sealed or open): and the Books, Maps, Paper, &c., may be either printed, written, or plain, or any mixture of the three.

All legitimate binding, mounting, or covering of the same or of a portion thereof, will be allowed, whether such binding be loose or attached; as also rollers in the case of prints, markers (whether of paper or otherwise,) in the case of books, and in short whatever is necessary for the safe transmission of literary or artistic matter or usually appertains thereto.

Every book packet must be either without a cover, or in a cover open at the ends or sides. It must not contain any letter, open or sealed, nor any sealed enclosure whatever.

No packet must exceed two feet in length, breadth or depth, exceeding these dimensions it cannot be forwarded through the Post.

AS REGARDS PATTERNS.

They must not be of intrinsic value. This rule excludes all articles of a saleable nature, and indeed, whatever may have a value of its own, apart from its mere use as a pattern; and the quantity of any material sent ostensibly as a pattern must not be so great that it can fairly be considered as having on this ground an intrinsic value.

There must be no writing or marks other than the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, a trade mark and numbers, and prices of the articles; otherwise the Packet will be detained or forwarded charged as an unpaid letter.

The Patterns must be sent in covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Samples however, of seeds, drugs, and so forth, which cannot be sent in open covers, may be enclosed in bags of linen or other material, tied at the neck; bags so closed that they cannot readily be opened, even although they be transparent, must not be used for this purpose. Non compliance with this rule will also subject the packet to be detained or forwarded as an unpaid letter.

The decision of the Postmaster General as to the eligibility of any Packet, pattern, or sample contained therein, to be forwarded under these regulations, will be final and conclusive.

The Packets or the contents thereof must not contain any inclosure, sealed or otherwise closed against inspection.

In all other respects the general regulations of the Book Post will apply to the Pattern Post. Under these regulations, in order to prevent any interruption to the regular transmission of letters, a Packet of Patterns may, when it is necessary, be kept back for the following Mail, by which, in the ordinary course, it would be forwarded.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 6th February, 1868.

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES,
AND SOUTHAMPTON.
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "*BEHAR*," Captain PERRINS, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 25th March, 1868, at 7 A.M.

Cargo will be received on board until noon on the 24th; Specie, until 4 P.M. on the 24th; and Parcels until noon on the 24th Instant.

For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

W. MACAULAY, *Superintendent.*
Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 12th March, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

WE have this day disposed of our Shipchandlery BUSINESS at Hongkong to Mr. O. DEMSKY.
Our Mr. ED. B. PETERSEN will liquidate our BUSINESS here. All communication concerning same to be addressed to him, care of Messrs. DEMSKY & Co.
PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.
Hongkong, 26th February, 1868.

WITH reference to the above, I have this day taken over the Shipchandlery BUSINESS of Messrs. PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co., at this place, which will henceforth be carried on at Nos. 37 and 38 *Praya*, under the Style of DEMSKY & Co., PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.'s Successors.
O. DEMSKY.
1m 390 Hongkong, 26th February, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR. JOHN HOW CHEVERTON is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
tf 372 Hongkong, 21st February, 1868.

NOTICE
MR. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorised to sign our name at Canton from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, 15th February, 1868. [tf 356

NOTICE.
MR. EMIL VOGEL and Mr. HEINRICH KIRCHHOFF become this day partners in our Business, which in future will be carried on under the Firm of
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
both here and at Canton.
HAGEDORN & Co.
2m 302 Hongkong, 12th February, 1868.

MR. SIDNEY DEACON is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration from this date.
DEACON & Co.
tf 213 Canton, 1st February, 1868.

NOTICE.
DURING the absence of Mr. JOHN H. LADD from the Colony, Mr. T. CUSHING LADD is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration.
LADD & Co.
tf 122 Hongkong, 17th January, 1868.

NOTICE.
MY BUSINESS, as SHIP and INSURANCE BROKER, COMMISSION AGENT, &c., hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & CO.
J. S. HOOK.
tf 2176 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1867.

MR. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.
BIRLEY & Co.
tf 9 Hongkong, 1st January, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. C. JAMESON, in our firm, ceased on the 30th September last.
The business will in future be carried on by Mr. Z. BARTON, under the name or style of JAMESON & BARTON, as heretofore.
JAMESON & BARTON.
3m 14 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1868.

FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this Port.
S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
tf 1889 Hongkong, 15th August, 1867.

NOTICE.
WE have this day established ourselves at this port as Merchants and General Commission Agents, under the style and firm of WACHTELS, GROOS & Co.
H. P. M. WACHTELS.
J. HENRY GROOS.
H. ALPH. ORTMANS.
1m 382 Nagasaki, 1st January, 1868.

WE have established a branch at Hiogo Osaca, for the transaction of a General Commission business.
SCHULTZE, REIS & Co.
Yokohama, 1st January, 1868. [6m 88

I HAVE established myself at this port, as a GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, under the style and firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER & Co.
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.
Saigon, 20th December, 1867. [tf 50

MY Interest in the Firm of Messrs. PASEDAG & Co. having ceased on 31st December last, I have this day established myself at this port, as Merchant and Commission Agent, under the Firm of KRUGER & Co.
CASAR KRUGER.
3m 33 Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

THE business of Messrs. JOHN FORSTER and Co., Public Tea Inspectors and Commission Agents, at this Port, has been transferred to the undersigned, who will continue the same in his own name from this date.
EDWARD W. LOVELL.
tf 1208 Kiukiang, May 1st, 1866. [J11

NOTICE.
WE have this day admitted Mr. CRAWFORD DAVISON KERR, Jun., as a partner in our Firm in Formosa. Mr. S. GODFREY BIRD ceases to sign the Firm per procuration from this date.
DODD & Co.
tf 281 Tamsui, 1st January, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. W. A. STURROCK in our firm ceased yesterday, by lapse of time.
BOYD & Co.
3m 11 Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ALEXANDER ROSS JOHNSTON in our firm ceased on 31st ultimo.
TAIT & Co.
3m 10 Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established a Firm at Osaka and Kobe (Hiogo), under the style of BROWNE & Co.
H. ST. J. BROWNE.
Japan, 1st January, 1868. [3m 17

OUR Power of Attorney to Mr. JAMES GOODRICH having been Cancelled, Mr. CHARLES BELDEW WARNER is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration.
BRADLEY & Co.
tf 2874 Swatow, 4th December, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned has the pleasure to offer to the GENTRY of this Colony an
ORCHESTRA BAND,
for BALLS, THEATRE, CIRCUS, &c.,
and will be happy to attend to any orders, either verbally or in writing, on shore, or on board of any of the Vessels in this harbour.
All orders sent to the following addresses will be punctually attended to:—House Nos. 1 and 2, *Tank Lane Terrace*; care of Mr. L. VOLKMAN, House No. 18, *Hollywood Road*; care of Mr. JOZE GUEDES, JUNR., at Messrs. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.; or to the care of Mr. A. RIBEIRO, at the "*Daily Press*" Office.
L. M. LOBO.
tf 2364 Hongkong, 14th October, 1867.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, *Hollywood Road*, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPE.
tf 661 Hongkong, 12th March, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE LONDON AND CHINA HERALD.

IN accordance with the arrangements already announced, this paper has been hitherto distributed gratis in Hongkong and throughout the Treaty ports of China and Japan. As the public has thus had an opportunity of making its acquaintance, the proprietor desires that a list of subscribers shall now be formed.
The issue published in London for the mail leaving on the 10th of January, will only be distributed to subscribers, and all persons who wish to continue in receipt of the paper, and who have not already notified their wish are hereby requested to do so.
Terms of subscription, inclusive of postage, £2. 10s. per Annum, payable in London, or $12 payable in Hongkong.
All Subscriptions payable in advance.
Application to be made to
GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill, London, and to W. H. BELL,
Daily Press Office, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. Tennent, Glasgow, and Messrs. David Corsar & Sons Arbroath.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 419 Hongkong, January, 1867.

Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

TO LET.

TO LET.
THE HOUSE, No. 8, in *Seymour Terrace*, commanding a good View of the Harbour—contains 4 Rooms and Out-houses, now occupied by W. H. ARMSTRONG, Esq., apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
tf 433 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1868.

TO LET.
AT a Moderate Rental, a Comfortable HOUSE, in *Queen's Road Spring Gardens*, containing Six Rooms, and GODOWN,—possession on the 31st March, or sooner if required. Apply to T. W. BARRINGTON, or
EDMUND SHARP, *Solicitor*,
Bank Buildings.
tf 422 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1868.

TO BE LET UNFURNISHED.
THE HOUSE, with Stabling, situated in the *Caine Road*, at present occupied by Colonel GAWLER.
Possession to be given on the 1st of March.
For further particulars, apply to
A. E. PIRKIS.
tf 321 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

TO BE LET,
THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs. ELMENHORST and SANDER.
For particulars apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON AND Co.
tf 862 Hongkong, 7th March, 1867.

TO LET.
THE *Queen's Road* PREMISES, including Dwelling and Godown below, now occupied by the Undersigned.
DE SILVER & Co.
tf 2569 Hongkong, 7th November, 1867.

TO LET.
TWO HOUSES on *Peddar's Hill*, each containing Four Rooms, with Out-houses attached. Water and gas laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs. P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office, *Queen's Road.*
tf 118 Hongkong, 17th January, 1868.

TO LET.
THE business premises formerly occupied by Messrs. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns.
Possession to be had on the 1st March.
Apply to
JOHN BURD & Co.
tf 373 Hongkong, 24th February, 1868.

TO LET, OR FOR SALE
AN extensive piece or parcel of GROUND, ready to be built upon, near the "Pagoda de Barra" in the inner harbour of Macao; for Plan and particulars apply to
J. A. DE CARVALHO.
4w 374 Hongkong, 24th February, 1868.

TO LET.
THE PREMISES situated at *Peddar's Wharf*, lately occupied by Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868.
For further particulars, apply to
THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf 3053 Hongkong, 31st December, 1867.

TO LET.
On and after the 1st April Next.
THAT Handsome BUNGALOW, situated immediately in the rear and west of the *Albany*. Containing 5 Rooms, and Bath-rooms, Servant's rooms underneath, Stables and Cookhouse detached, water laid on; a fine view of the Harbour, and a nice Garden in front and rear.
Apply early to
FAWCETT & Co.
tf 68 Hongkong, 11th January, 1868.

TO LET.
THE CORNER HOUSE, No. 22B, in *Gage Street*, containing Six Rooms, with Compradore's Room, Godowns, and Stable attached. Water and gas laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs. P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office, *Queen's Road.*
tf 119 Hongkong, 17th January, 1868.

STORAGE can be had in first class GRANITE GODOWNS, at *Wanchai*, on very moderate terms. For particulars apply to
CHARLES RIVINGTON,
At Messrs. LANDSTEIN & Co.'s Office, *Stanley Street.*
3m 45 Hongkong, 7th January, 1868.

TO BE LET.
A HOUSE in *Queen's Road*, commanding a good view of the harbour from the North-side. The House contains Eight good Rooms, with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front and back, Kitchens, Servants' Rooms, and Godowns on ground floor. Apply to
TURNER & Co.
tf 269 Hongkong, 10th February, 1868.

TO LET.
THREE COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in *Spring Gardens*, possessing a thorough view of the harbour.
Apply to D. NOWROJEE,
Opposite to the Oriental Bank.
tf 2818 Hongkong, 4th December, 1867.

TO LET.
THE HOUSE, No. 4, situated in *Gage Street*. Possession can be had immediately. For further particulars, apply to
CHONG CHEW,
At Messrs. ROZARIO & Co.
tf 301 Hongkong, 13th February, 1868.

TO LET.
NO. 5, PECHILI TERRACE, *Elgin Street.* Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 230 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

TO LET.
A COMMODIOUS HOUSE, situated in *Elgin Street*. Apply to
D. NOWROJEE,
Opposite to ORIENTAL BANK.
tf 231 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

STORAGE.
IN FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS, on the Praya, Apply to
S. E. BURROWS & SON
tf 2657 Hongkong, 4th December, 1866.

NOTICE.
STORAGE can be had in the four large good GRANITE GODOWNS, situated at *Sy-ingpoon* (Praya), next to the STEAM RICE MILL FACTORY. These Godowns are adjoining each other, well provided with competent Storekeepers, and insurable in any of the Local Fire Insurance Companies. Charges moderate.
For particulars, apply to
FOOK-MOW-LOONG HONG.
OR
KEEN-CHEONG HONG.
3m 3002 Hongkong, 24th December, 1867.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.
THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on Storage in first class GRANITE GODOWNS on moderate terms.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1867.

TO LET.
TO BE LET, with early possession, those desirable PREMISES situated in the *Queen's Road*, at the corner of *Wyndham Street* (facing the HONGKONG CLUB), at present in the occupation of the AGRA BANK. Apply to
GILMAN & Co.
tf 1836 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

TO LET.
THE Extensive and Eligible PREMISES (Corner of *Hollywood Road* and *Shelley Street*), lately in the occupation of H. M.'s Government. Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
tf 2057 Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO LET.
NO. 3, PECHILI TERRACE, *Elgin Street.* Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 1704 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1867.

With immediate possession.
THE Property known as "ALMACK PLACE," having a frontage of Eighty-three feet on *Wellington* and *Gage Streets*, and of two hundred and twenty-nine feet on *Aberdeen Street*, comprising a superficial area of about 19,000 square feet.
Annual Ground Rent £12. 12s. 6d.
For further particulars apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1867.

TO LET.
TO be Let Furnished, a HOUSE in *West Terrace*. Four Rooms and Out Offices. Rent moderate. Address M., *Daily Press* Office.
tf 1745 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

To Let.

TO BE LET.
NEW and Strong GODOWNS, *C* and *E*, on Marine Lot No. 63. Apply to
GAVIN THOMSON,
At GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s.
tf 2826 Hongkong, 17th December, 1867.

HOUSES TO LET.
IN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with *size*, *locality* and *terms* can be seen at No. 53, *Wyndham Street.*
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
tf 642 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867.

TO LET.
FOR a term of years, with early possession, those desirable premises in Bank Buildings situated between the Agra Bank and Comptoir d'Escompte, at present in the occupation of the Bank of Hindustan, China, and Japan. The principal building is very suitable for division into Offices or Chambers.
For further particulars, apply to
GILMAN & Co.
tf 697 Hongkong, 17th April, 1867.

TO LET.
TWO HOUSES on *Carlton Terrace*, Spring Gardens, with or without Godowns. Rent moderate. Apply to
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2061 Hongkong, 6th September, 1867.

TO LET.
THE PREMISES situated in *Queen's Road* and *Stanley Street*, and at present occupied by Messrs. H. MARSH & Co.
For particulars, apply to
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2062 Hongkong, 6th September, 1867.

Insurances.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

MANAGING AGENTS IN CHINA,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
HONGKONG.
MEDICAL REFEREE,
IVOR MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.
For further particulars, forms of proposals &c., apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Managing Agents in China.
tf 1416 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

AT the request of the Undersigned, Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the following INSURANCE COMPANIES:—
PHŒNIX ASSURANCE COMPANY.
LIVERPOOL, LONDON, AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,
Agents.
tf 1555 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1867.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
SUN FIRE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept SHORT RISKS at the following Reduced Rates.—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼ per cent.
Above 1 month but not exceeding 3	„ ½ do.
Above 3 months but not exceeding 6	„ ¾ do.
Above 6 months but not exceeding 12	full annual rate.

ADAM SCOTT & Co., *Agents, Sun Fire Office,*
tf 1739 Hongkong, 13th August, 1866.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following reduced rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances viz:—

One month,	¼ per cent.
Three months,	½ „
Six months,	¾ „

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.
tf 1680 Hongkong, 7th August, 1866.

REDUCTION
IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have received instructions to REDUCE rates for FIRE INSURANCE for SHORT PERIODS, as follows:—

On Policies not exceeding 1 month	from ½ to ¼ per cent.
On Policies not exceeding 3 months	from ⅝ to ½ „
On Policies not exceeding 6 months	from ¾ to ⅝ „

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company
tf 1860 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1866.

THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA.
ESTABLISHED 1834.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £500,000.
ACCUMULATED FUNDS EXCEED £808,000.
THE Undersigned are empowered to accept LIFE ASSURANCES in the above Society. Full particulars given on application.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
6m 378 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1868.

SHORT PERIOD RATES.

Not exceeding 1 month	¼ of the annual rate.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	„ ½ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6	„ ¾ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12	„ the annual rate.

GILMAN & Co.
Agents, North British & Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 1702 Hongkong, 9th August, 1866.

NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorised to accept the following Rates of Premium, for SHORT PERIOD RISKS on First-class Godowns and Goods stored therein.
For 1 month, ¼ of Annual Rate.
For 3 months, ½ do. do.
For 6 do. ¾ do. do.
Above 6 months the full Annual Rates.
TURNER & Co.
tf 1769 Hongkong, 17th August, 1866.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above CORPORATION are prepared to grant FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 3025 Hongkong, 27th December, 1867.

LIFE ASSURANCE
THE Undersigned have received authority, by a recent Mail, to issue LIFE POLICIES for amounts not exceeding £1,000 without reference to the Head Offices, as was previously required by the Board.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
555 Hongkong, 7th January, 1866.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

Insurances.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
A DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) *Eight* per cent. has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above ASSOCIATION for the year ending 30th September, 1866.
Policy-holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned.
RUSSELL & Co.,
Secretaries.
tf 2073 Hongkong, 9th September, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.
In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent. of the profits of the Company for that year, divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, November, 1862.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.
INCORPORATED 1859.
CAPITAL, £1,000,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1351 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay or London.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 8th October, 1863.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, $500,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES at current rates.
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 1852 Hongkong, 10th August, 1867.

DE OOSTERLING
SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong, for the above-named Companies, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 1676 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1866.

GERMANIC LLOYDS.
G. MEINCK, Esq., has been appointed by the GERMANIC LLOYDS' SOCIETY at Hamburg, their Surveyor at this port, and is authorized to class vessels in conformity with their rules.
PASEDAG & Co.,
Agents Germanic Lloyds.
3m 74] Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

HAMBURG BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned are now authorized to accept assurance against Fire at Hongkong and at any of the open ports in China to the amount of Mexican $30,000 on one Risk.
WM. PUSTAU & Co., *Agents.*
Hongkong, 23rd March, 1864.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER, AND LONDON.
Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.
THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co., as Agents for this Insurance at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board
JAMES B. NORTHCOTT,
Secretary.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town and their contents.	½ per cent. per annum
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents.	¾
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents.	1 „

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 896 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above office are prepared to grant Policies against Fire on the usual Term and conditions. Risk will also be accepted at the following ports:—
Canton, by Messrs. DEACON & Co.
Macao, by E. L. LANGA, Esq.
Amoy, by Messrs. BOYD & Co.
Foochow, by Messrs. KINNEAR & Co.
Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to
ADAM SCOTT & Co., Agents.
tf 1033 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1866.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents.	½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents	¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents	1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 878 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
Capital Two Millions Sterling.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton, or Whampoa, to the extent of £15,000 in any one Risk, upon Buildings or Merchandize, on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1385 Hongkong, 12th June, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:—

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents.	½ per cent.
Other dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their contents.	¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents.	1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER
OF
HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST,
A.D. 1720.
HEAD OFFICE IN LONDON:
No. 7, Royal Exchange, Cornhill, E.C.
WEST END OFFICE.—*No. 7, Pall Mall, S.W.*
RICHARD BAGGALLAY, Esq.—*Governor.*
JAMES BLYTH, Esq.—*Sub-Governor.*
EDWIN GOWER, Esq.—*Deputy-Governor.*

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SECRETARY.
JOHN LAURENCE, Esq.

The CORPORATION of the LONDON ASSURANCE have appointed Agents for the issue of Policies for Marine Assurance in INDIA and CHINA, as under:—
Bombay—Messrs. EWART, LATHAM & Co.
Madras—Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co.
Calcutta—Messrs. MACKILLOP, STEWART & Co.
Hongkong—Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Shanghai—Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Mauritius—Messrs. BLYTH BROTHERS & Co.
The undersigned are prepared to issue Policies of the CORPORATION of the LONDON ASSURANCE, payable either here, in LONDON, at any of the above-named Agencies, and also at
Melbourne, Victoria—
Messrs. DALGETY, BLACKWOOD & Co.
Launceston, Tasmania—
Messrs. DU CROZ, NICHOLS & Co.
Hobart Town—
Mr. LAVINGTON ROOPE.
Adelaide, S. Australia—
Messrs. ELDER, SMITH & Co.
Sydney, New S. Wales—
Messrs. FANNING, GRIFFITHS & Co.
Dunedin, Otago, New Zealand—
Messrs. DALGETY, RATTRAY & Co.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 146 Hongkong, 21st January, 1868.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept short period risks at the following reduced scale viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼ of the annual rate
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	„ ½ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6	„ ¾ do. do
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12	the annual rate.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 1695 Hongkong, 8th August 1866.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept short period risks at the following reduced scale viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼ of the annual rate
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	„ ½ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6	„ ¾ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12	the annual rate.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company
tf 1694 Hongkong, 8th August, 1866.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.
137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.
JAMES HARTLEY & Co.—*Managers.*
ESTABLISHED 1843.
THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.
W. MACAULAY, *Agent.*
tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 2,000,000, in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each, Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000.
Directors.
GEORGE TYSON, Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.)—*Chairman.*
J. H. BELL, Esq., (Messrs. W. R. Adamson & Co.)
F. PORTER, Esq., (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.)
J. THORNE, Esq., (Messrs. Thorne Bros. & Co.)
R. R. TYERS, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant & Co.)
A. J. HOW, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)
Agencies are established at the several ports of China and Japan.
L. JOSEPHS, *Secretary.*
Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

Insurances.

FORBES & Co.'s CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY,
AND
BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies, are prepared to accept risks on the usual terms.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 399 Hongkong, 26th February, 1868.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY
NOTICE is hereby given that an AGENCY of this Company has been opened in Macao, under the care of Messrs. MARGESSON & Co., and that Captain CARROLL has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at that Port.
By the order of the Court of Directors,
JOHN S. MACKINTOSH,
Secretary.
tf 2279 Hongkong, 4th October, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.
FOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships; also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.
The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of $60,000 on any one First Class Risk.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

REDUCTION
In the rates of premium for
FIRE INSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last,) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furniture and effects therein contained.
In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the town the rate of premium will be three-quarters per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences so situated being detached or semi-detached the rate will be further reduced to one-half per cent.
The Royal's annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the town) and their contents,	½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents	¾ per cent.
Offices and Godowns and their contents,	1 per cent.
First Class China Houses and their contents,	1¼ per cent.

Other Risks by Special arrangement.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
tf 714 Hongkong, 9th November, 1866.

Business Announcements.

"STAG" HOTEL,
Queen's Road.
EDMUND R. HOLMES,
PROPRIETOR.
ON SALE, just landed, ex *Red Riding Hood.*
BASS' BEER in Pints and Quarts.
BARCLAY'S PORTER in Pints and Quarts, Bottled by CAMERON & SANDERS.
BASS' BEER in Kilderkins.
BASS' BEER in Hogsheads.
BARCLAY'S PORTER in Hogsheads.
BOOTH'S OLD TOM.
Prime YORK HAMS.
EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Importer,
"Stag" Hotel Stores.
tf 2911 Hongkong, 16th December, 1867.

J. FRISBY,
BUTCHER and FAMILY GROCER supplies every article from the Market for Family use, and has always on hand CORN MEATS, (free from Saltpetre), such as ROUNDS, HUMPS, BRISKETS, TONGUES, Pork and Pigs' HEADS.
The above are of the best quality that can be procured.
SHOP, 33, *Praya and East Avenue*,
BUTCHER'S STALL, 103, Central Market.
tf 2528 Hongkong, 2nd November, 1867.

Business Announcements.

WILH. LANGE,
TUNER AND REPAIRER OF PIANOS, AND ALL KINDS OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
Shelley Street, No. 14, next door to the CLUB LUSITANO.
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Douglas,	Pitman	Brit. str	618	P. & O. Co	
Fame,	Stephenson	Brit. str	117	H. K. & W. Dk. Co	Tug Plying
Fire Dart,	Thobeno	Brit. str	500	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	Laid up
Fung Shuey,	T. S. Watson	Amr. str	743	Aug. Heard & Co	
Kinshan,‡		Brit. str	550	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Ku-Kiang,‡	Benning	Brit. str	1065	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Lun-tin,		Brit. str	134	Acheong	
Little Orphan,	Denning	Brit. str	48	Union Dock Co	Laid up
Poyang,	Haskell	Brit. str	821	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	Tug Plying
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Sailing Vessels.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
A. Laurence,	Brimhall	Amr. sh	1526	Captain	
Adeline,	Darke	Brit. bg	250	Reynvaan, Brothers & Co	
Advance,	Tams	Siam. bk	336	Chinese	
Alert,	Abbott	Brit. bg	115	John Burd & Co	
Amazone,	Bellstedt	Brm. bg	218	Ed. Schellhass & Co	
Apenrade,	D. Davidson	Prus. bk	304	Wm. Pustau & Co	
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Blairmore,	Cargill	Brit. bg	223	P. & O. Co	
Cary & Jane,	Jansen	Ham. bk	412	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
Charmiam,	Saunders	Brit. bk	668	P. & O. Co	Saigon
Chinaman,	J. L. Dunn	Brit. sh	667	Holliday, Wise & Co	
China Packet,	Reynolds	Haw. bg	180	Wm. Pustau & Co	Honolulu
Chelsea,	Lowe	Brit. sh	961	Bosman & Co	San Francisco
Civiale,	Von Holdt	Ham. bk	386	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
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Emigrante,	Escasis	Span. sh	700	Order	
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Golden Spur,	Rohland	Brit. sh	677	Gilman & Co	
Gœthe,	F. F. West		650	A. MacDonnell	Dismasted
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J. Amedie,	Lugande	Fren. sch	121	Derodo Freres	F't or Charter
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Overmann,	Gottsbe	Ham. bk	202	Wm. Pustau & Co	
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Teh-li,	Kiel	Ham. bk	329	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Tin-lee,	Hawes	Amr. sch	113	Order	Manila
Thetis,	Oeltermann	Old. bg	240	Landstein & Co	Saigon
Undine,	Scott	Brit. sh	196	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Singapore
Vanguard,	Hunter	Brit. sh	626	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Vesta,	Teteau	Ham. bg	240	Siemssen & Co	
Vision,	Cummins	Brit. bg	159	Alf. Hogg & Co	

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Kan-ka-koo,	Yeaton	Amr. str	813	Aug. Heard & Co	
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Frisch,	Tutien	Ham. sch	150	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
Indus,	G. W. Hicks	Brit. bk	1310	P. & O. Co	Saigon
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Albis,	Kremer	Ham. bk	315	Wm. Pustau & Co	Saigon
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Suomi,	Nordberg	Russ. sh	793	Captain	Havana
Ville de St. Lo,	Dubois	Fren. bk	374	Landstein & Co	F't or Charter

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Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Chun-hai,	Marcy	H.I.C.M.	Str.	Customs Chop	in Hongkong
Demerara,					
Emilia,		Chi. g-b.			
Foo-loong,	Edwards	H.I.C.M.	Str.		
Hao Ching,	Folsom	H.I.C.M.	Str.	Revenue Cruiser	

SWATOW.

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Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Alice Thompson,	Sclave	Brit. bk		Bradley & Co	Uncertain
Alma,	Martine	Prus. bk	402	Dircks & Co	Shanghai
Alliance,	Flandra	Brit. bk	349	Lincker & Co	Uncertain
Burlington,	Hide	Brit. bk		Chinese	Shanghai
Harriet,		Amr. bg		Order	Yokohama
Hugo & Otto,		Ham. bk		Order	
Isle of France,	Laclan	Brit. bk	333	E. Vicent	Uncertain
John & Pauline,	Focken	Ham. bk	274	Dircks & Co	Taku
Maria,	Lorentzen	Prus. bk	375	Dircks & Co	Yokohama

AMOY.

In port on 6th March, 1868.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Activ,	Lemmermann	Prus. sch	143	Pasedag & Co	Batavia
Asencion,	Olano	Span. bk	270	Order	Manila
Australia,	Maars	Ham. bk	254	Pasedag & Co	Taiwanfoo
Caesar,	Schuck	Brit. bk	306	Boyd & Co	Taiwanfoo
Cadovius,	Iversen	Prus. sch	251	H. A. Petersen & Co	Singapore
Falk,	Lemmermann	Prus. sch	432	Pasedag & Co	
I. & Hermanos,	Premoya	Span. bk	548	Chinese	Manila
Kim-Joo-Hong,	Davidsen	Brit. bk	320	Tait & Co	Samarang
Parmencita,	Pucalla	Span. bg	235	Tait & Co	Singapore
Selika,	Hummell	Ham. bg	240	Pasedag & Co	Manila

FOOCHOW.

In port on 1st March, 1868.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Arthur,	Crosbie		271	Russell & Co	Uncertain
Cormorant,	Broad	H.M.g-b	780	Order	Uncertain
Enterprise,	Robertson		113	Order	Uncertain
Feiga,	Lauidzen	Ham. bg	371	Order	Uncertain
Manchu,	Clark	Amr. str	780	Russell & Co	Shanghai
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R. Rickmers,	Ebert		422	Order	Uncertain
Royal Saxon,	Knight		789	Order	Uncertain

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